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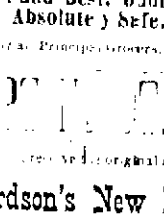

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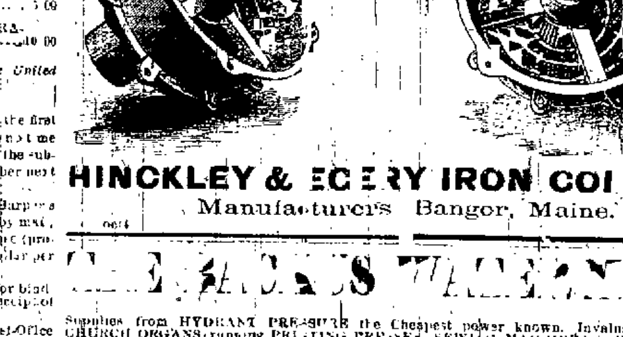

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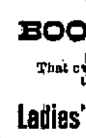

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THE RAILROAD MEETING AT CHERRYFIELD.

The meeting at Cherryfield, Jan. 27th, was largely attended, enthusiastic and harmonious.

Wm. Freeman, Esq., of Cherryfield, called the meeting to order at 1.30 P. M., and nominated Hon John C. Talbot, of East Machias, for President. Mr. Talbot, on taking the Chair, made some remarks setting forth the object of the meeting, the needs of communication by rail with other sections of the country, and the duty of towns on the route in extending aid in the construction.

Fred I. Campbell, Esq., was chosen Secretary.

The President then introduced Colonel John N. Greene, of New York. Colonel Greene made quite extended remarks in which he stated that the towns and individuals on the line must furnish $1500 per mile; the Company who build the road to provide the right of way itself, the towns have nothing to do about that. Col. Greene was frequently applauded during his speech.

Hon. L. A. Emery, of Ellsworth, was next speaker. Mr. E. gave history of proceedings relative to building road from Bucksport to Ellsworth. The proposition was to build a narrow guage and so connect Ellsworth and Bangor via Bucksport. He thought Ellsworth would prefer to be the terminus of the S. & S. road rather than a side station of the Calais, Machias and Bangor through line. On the whole, Ellsworth would be favorably disposed.

E. A. Barnard, Esq., spoke for Calais. He thought it for the city's interest to aid in the construction of the Shore Line. The city had no near prospect of outlet by rail with the Lake Megantic road, and no encouragement of direct rail connection with the West except by the Shore Line. He expressed no doubt as to the favorable action of Calais.

E. K. Smart, Esq., represented Pembroke. He said the people of his town wanted the Shore Line and would, no doubt, lend reasonable aid in its construction.

N. S. Allan, Esq., said that Dennysville, Edmunds and Marion could be relied on to contribute their proportion of means; while the gentlemen present from Pembroke interestedly pledged Charlotte to unite with other towns in giving help.

Hon James R. Talbot, of East Machias, thought that his town would act in concert with other towns on the route in securing construction of the line.

John K. Ames, Esq., of Machias, spoke for this town. He was in favor of giving a liberal aid to the Company that will construct the road. He stated that the people of Machias want the road built and would be willing to give their part of material aid.

Addison, Columbia Falls, Columbia, Harrington, are understood to be in full sympathy with the movement. Citizens of these towns present gave satisfactory assurance of encouragement and support.

Wm. Freeman, Esq., spoke for Cherryfield. His remarks were of similar tenor to the preceding speakers and favorable to the enterprise.

Capt. Jason D. Leighton, of Milbridge, said his town would help, provided the shore route was followed, and D. B. Byther, Esq., of Steuben, stated that the people of his town wanted the road and could be relied on for encouragement.

A Committee of one from each town was appointed to make an estimate of the amount that each town would be called on to provide. The committee acted on the State valuation of 1880, and a basis of 2½ per cent. As an illustration, Pembroke, with a valuation of $109,113 would be assessed about $10,900. All other towns would be assessed on the same basis.

The committee recommended that the towns hold meetings on or before Feb. 22, and took action in the matter. The Company must know what the towns will do at once. If towns act favorably, fully half of the road will be built in 1882, and be entirely completed in 1883.

There seems to be no doubt but the capital needed to build the road will be forthcoming provided the towns do what is reasonably required of them.

It was stated that the cost of construction would be about $13,000 per mile; also, that the Buckland survey would be followed as nearly as practicable.

Eastport is friendly and will seek connection with the Shore Line by building from Eastport to connect at Pembroke.

The obstacles that are presented will be overcome by concession and united action, so that in less than two years the cars will be running between Calais and Bangor.

The delegates returned home manifesting enthusiasm and strong hope of early success. Let the people unite and move at once to energetic action.

P. H. Longfellow, Machias, S. N. Campbell, Cherryfield, and Geo. A. Lowell, Calais, were appointed Executive Committee to carry out the wishes of the meeting.

It was demonstrated beyond a doubt that if the towns want a road they have got to help at the rate of $1,500 per mile.—*Machias Union.*

A HATTER'S IDEAS OF HEADS.

SIZES OF THE HATS OF WELL-KNOWN MAINE MEN.

[From the Lewiston Journal.]

As a *Journal* news-gatherer stepped into the store of a Lewiston hatter, Saturday morning, he found that worthy engaged in studying a number of outlines in black, on a white sheet of paper which could not have been war-maps, on account of the entire absence of spatters indicating cross-roads and mountain ranges; but which might have been patterns for shoe taps, as there were protuberances indicating possible joints or bunions.

But they were not. They were the reduced outlines of people's heads, as made by the conformateur. At the time the scribe entered, the man of hats was examining the outline of Charles J. Guiteau's cranium, which was on the same page with those of Garfield, Grant, Sheridan, Von Steuben and other noted men.

Said our hatter, who has probably furnished tiles for more of Maine's famous men than any dealer in the State: "I believe the prevailing impression that the size and shape of people's heads are a test of their ability is all nonsense. Look at Guiteau's head, now. It is almost equal in shape to Garfield's. Garfield, you see, by the way, had one of the finest heads ever on a man. It was very large. He wore a 7⅞ and 1-16 hat. Guiteau wears a 7¼. The nearer oval the head, the more perfect it is said to be. Now there is the head of Shishkin, the Russian minister. See how long it is! I wish I had that man's head. It is the head of a money maker.'

"I suppose the term 'long-headed' comes from the shape of the cranium?"

"Exactly. I believe the queerest shaped head in this State is owned by a prominent and wealthy bank director. His head is so long that the conformateur couldn't take his measure, and I had to have a block made specially for him. He is one of our smartest business men. American heads are generally long in shape, and that is why the Yankees are called 'long-headed.' The typical German head is full and round at the back, short, and narrow in front. Look at Von Steuben's head there, for instance."

"What is the size of the hat worn by the average head?"

"7½. It is commonly believed that a large head is a sure indication of unusual ability; but a statement has gone the rounds of the papers that if a head is over 8 in size, it indicates mental weakness. Neither of these ideas is correct. Some of the smallest-headed men are the most level headed. One of the wealthiest men in this country wears a 6¾ hat. And as to heads over 8 in size, they are very few, but all that ever I knew were very good. The late Governor Hubbard wore an 8¼ hat, and he was one of the very best men. The only person I know who wears a hat so large as that to-day, is Captain John Snow, of Hallowell. He wears exactly the same size, and his head is chock full of good nature and intelligence. Would you like the size of the heads of some of our best known Maine men?"

"Certainly."

"Well, we will commence with ex-Secretary Blaine. He has a noble head. He wears a 7⅜. Senator Frye wears 7¼, and Congressman Dingley 7¼. Ex-Governor Connor wears 7¼. Lot M. Morrill, 7¼, and Anson P. Morrill exactly the same size. Ex-Governor Cony's size was 7½, when I used to sell him hats. Mr. Justice Libbey wears a 7 1-16 and Judge Danforth, 7⅛. Ex Governor Garcelon wears a 7¼, and it is my impression that Gen. Chamberlain wears a 7¼. One of the best-shaped heads in Maine is that of Colonel Spaulding, Reporter of Decisions, who wears 7¼. His head is very full, and more nearly resembles Garfield's than any other man's in this State."

"Is the conformateur so much used as formerly?"

"No, sir; because silk hats are not so much worn. A conformateur costs $125, and I don't believe it pays 6 per cent. on the investment to-day. The time was when I had customers who were so particular that they would send a hat back to New York for a change of 1-32 of an inch in the brim. A man in this city, for whom I once took 1-16th of an inch off a tall hat brim, now fills a pauper's grave."

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STATE NEWS.

Androscoggin.

The *Journal* says: The Auburn soldiers' monument committee have received the names of seventy deceased soldiers, to be placed on the monument. It is believed that Auburn lost near one hundred and fifty soldiers. The committee are desirous of obtaining so many of these names as possible. They do not expect to get all. The monument will be dedicated May 30th, when there will be a big celebration. Gen. J. L. Chamberlain was invited to deliver the address, but he was obliged to decline, as he was engaged, last fall, to deliver the Memorial Day address at Gettysburg. The committee will secure Hon. James G. Blaine as the orator of the day, if it is possible.

The *Journal* says: Mr. James Wagg, who resides three or four miles down the river, in Auburn, and who narrowly escaped serious injury, a few days ago, having been run over by an ox-team loaded with half a cord of green wood, had another narrow escape, Tuesday evening. Mr. Michael Holland was making a friendly call upon Mr. Wagg, and his horse was hitched in Mr. Wagg's barn. The latter passed by the horse's heels about five o'clock, and the beast let one hoof drive against his head, just above the ear. Mr. W. was knocked unconscious, and was found lying on the barn floor in an insensible condition. His family summoned Dr. Oakes. The doctor was unable to find any fracture of the skull, and says it is a case of concussion of the brain, which probably will not result fatally. Mr. Wagg has regained his consciousness, and has begun to improve. He is about 60 years of age.

Aroostook.

The *Journal* says: Mr. James Clark, an aged and respected citizen of Sherman, died suddenly Sunday evening, it was supposed in a fit. He lived but a few hours after the attack. His age was over sixty-seven years.——The veterans of the war held a meeting one week ago at this place to take measures preparatory to the organization of a post. It is expected that it will be effected on the 2d day of next month. The Sherman ladies' Monument Association held a meeting and took initiary steps for the erection of the monument the present season.

The *Republican* says: The house of James Carney, of Caribou, with nearly all its contents, was burned last Thursday night, the family barely escaping in their night clothes. Mr. C. is a worthy but poor man, and his family consisting of a sick wife and five little children, are rendered homeless and destitute by this accident.

Cumberland.

The *Argus* exonerates young Gledhill from being concerned in the robbery by young Mountford, of the W. U. Telegraph at Portland. Mountford, Conners and Bond were in St. John, N. B., at last dates.

Franklin.

The *Chronicle* says Mr. C. H. Vining, of Strong, purchased the last lot of wool that remained in town to be sold a few days since. It belonged to N. P. Harris, and weighed about nineteen hundred pounds.

Kennebec.

Senator Eugene Hale sends Rev. C. F. Penney, of Augusta, his check for $200, for the Maine Central Institute at Pittsfield.

The Augusta *Journal* says: The resignation of President Robins of Colby University, is in the hands of the Secretary of the Trustees, and a meeting of the Trustees has been called to be held at Waterville on Tuesday, February 14th.

Piscataquis.

The *Observer* says: During the terrific gale last Friday, a portion of the chimney upon the Methodist church in Dover blew over. The spire upon the Congregational church swayed and rocked considerably, and limbs from the shade trees were scattered promiscuously about the village.

The *Observer* says: Mr. G. H. Wyman, a graduate of Bates College, who had read law about two years, in Bangor and elsewhere, recently entered the office of Messrs. Lebroke & Parsons, Foxcroft, as a law student.

Waldo.

The Belfast *Journal* says that Mr. George Berry, of Burnham, lost a pair of horses last week, by breaking through the ice and drowning in the Twenty-five mile stream. Charley Berry, the young man who had charge of the team, had his feet, hands and face frozen.——Wm. A. Emery, last week, cut his foot while in the woods. He walked two miles when he became so exhausted that he fell in the road. When found Mr. Emery was badly frozen.

The *Journal* reports the Belfast people are crazy over dancing. Old and young alike are bitten by the macpeas.——Mary E. Nutter, of Palermo, died suddenly of heart disease, Monday morning, at the residence of Mrs. Lawrence, Belfast.——The Belfast branch railroad is doing a very heavy freighting business just now. In addition to the regular freight, large quantities of ship timber, potatoes and iron are coming in.

The Belfast *Journal* says: Joseph Ames, who died quite suddenly at his home in Stockton, Sunday morning the 29th, ult., had reached the advanced age of 88 years and 12 days. He retained his remarkably excellent bodily health to the day of his death. When he attempted to arise at the usual morning hour, his wife noticed he could not sustain himself, and he sank to the floor and expired without an apparent struggle.

York.

The house, ell, shed and stable belonging to George F. Plaisted, at York Corner, were burned on Monday afternoon the 30th. The fire was first seen in a haymow in the barn, at about two o'clock, and is supposed to have been caused by two little boys; the contents of the barn were consumed with the structure, but the furniture and household goods in the dwelling were saved. Loss about $3000; insurance $1200.

The Augusta *Journal* says large numbers of men and horses are at work on the Kennebec getting ice, and gathering the crop is in full blast from Hallowell to Abbiklidasset Point. The prospect is that 1 600 000 tons will be cut in the State if it can be secured.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

[*All notices for this department must be sent in before 6½ P. M. on Friday to secure insertion.*]

Morning services commence at 10½ o'clock; afternoon services at 3 o'clock; prayer meeting at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

FIRST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL—Broadway, near State. Supported by voluntary contributions. Sittings free. Preaching service at 10½ A. M. Sunday School, 12 M. Supplied by Rev. C. J. H. Ropes.

HAMMOND ST. CONGREGATIONAL—Hammond street, corner High. Rev. Henry L. Griffin, Pastor. Residence 125 Hammond street. Services, 10.30 A. M. Evening service, 7 o'clock.

CENTRAL CONGREGATIONAL—French Street, near State; Rev. Geo. W. Field, Pastor. Preaching at 10½ A. M.; prayer meeting, 7½ P. M.

FIRST BAPTIST,—Harlow St., corner Center; Rev. F. T. Hazlewood, Pastor. Preaching at 10.30, Sabbath School immediately following. No service in the afternoon except the first Sunday in each month, when the Lord's Supper will be observed. Evening service at 7 P. M.

SECOND BAPTIST.—Columbia Street; Rev. Geo. B Ilsley, Pastor, residence 22 Ohio Street. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 11:45 A. M. Communion service at 3 P. M., the first Sunday of each month. Evening services at 7 o'clock. Seats free to all.

FIRST FREE BAPTIST—Essex St. near State; Rev. R. L. Howard, Pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School at close of service. Sabbath School concert at 7½ P. M. every first Sabbath in the month.

FIRST METHODIST,—corner Pine and Somerset streets. Rev. N. G. Axtell, Pastor. Quarterly meeting services to-morrow. Rev. W. W. Marsh will preach in the morning. Subject of discourse in the evening at seven o'clock by the pastor, "Rev. Mr. Stewart and Guiteau."

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UNION ST. METHODIST EPISCOPAL,—Union St. corner Clinton; Rev. G. N. Eldridge, Pastor. Preaching in forenoon. Sunday School at close of forenoon service.

INDEPENDENT CONGREGATIONAL,—(Unitarian;) Union St., corner Main. Rev. S. J. Stewart, pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at close of morning service.

UNIVERSALIST,—Park St., near Center. Services every Sunday at 10½ A. M., and 7½ P. M., Rev. W. H. Jewell, Pastor. Sabbath school at 11.45 A. M. The subject of the sermon to-morrow will be "What is Christianity?" In the evening there will be a Sabbath School Concert.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL,—French St. Rev. William Allen Fiske, Rector. Subject of sermon at 10.30 A. M. "The Septuagesima Admonitions." Subject of the sermon at 3.30 P. M.: "Seeing through a glass darkly."

ST. JOHN'S ROMAN CATHOLIC,—York St.; Rev. Edward McSweeney, Pastor.

ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC,—Cedar St., corner First; Rev. M. C. O'Brien, Pastor.

HOME FOR AGED WOMEN—State Street. Services at 3 P. M., on the second and fourth Sabbaths in each month. All are invited.

WEST BANGOR CHAPEL—Preaching at 2.30 P. M. Sabbath School at 3.45. Prayer meeting Sabbath evening.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—West Bangor, Hammond street. Prayer meeting at 7 P. M., Preaching at 3 P. M. Bible School at close of afternoon service. Seats free to all. Preaching by Rev. R. L. Howard Sundays, excepting the first Sunday of each month.

EAST BANGOR CONGREGATIONAL—Preaching at 10½ A. M. Prayer meeting at 7½ P. M. Regular weekly prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock.

SECOND FREE BAPTIST, East Bangor; Rev. R. L. Howard. Preaching at 2 P. M. Union Sabbath School at 1 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7½ P. M. Wednesday evening Prayer meeting at 7½. Monthly Conference at 2 o'clock Saturday preceding the first Sabbath of each month.

HILLSIDE SCHOOL-HOUSE,—Sabbath School at 3½ P. M.

ESSEX ST. SCHOOL-HOUSE.—Preaching at 2 P. M.

Advent Christian Church, Eld. O. S. French, pastor worship at Concert Hall. Morning prayer meeting at 10½, preaching at 3 P. M.; evening prayer meetings Sunday and Wednesday evening at 7½ P. M.

CROSBYVILLE SCHOOLHOUSE. Sabbath School at 2½ P. M.

KITTREDGE SCHOOL HOUSE.—Stillwater Ave. Sabbath School in the afternoon. Prayer meeting, evening at 7 o'clock.

SECOND ADVENT MEETING—Johnson's Hall, Main Street. Services every Sunday, at the usual hours. All are invited.

SPIRITUALISTS. Mrs. H. Morse of Boston, will give a Spiritual Lecture at Music Hall, Sunday afternoon at half past two and in the evening at half past seven. Free to all.

BREWER.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL,—Services at 10½ A. M. Rev. C. A. Beckwith, Pastor.

SECOND CONGREGATIONAL,—at Brewer Village.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL,—Main St.; Rev. C. A. Southard, Pastor. Morning service at 10.30, to be followed by Sabbath School. Evening service at 7

HOLDEN.

CONGREGATIONAL. Preaching services at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at close of morning service. Social meeting at 7 P. M.

DEDHAM.

Preaching at 2 P. M.

EDDINGTON BEND.

METHODIST,—Sunday School at 1 P. M. Preaching at 2½.

ORONO.

CONGREGATIONAL.—Services morning and evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL,—Rev. L. L. Hanscom, Pastor. Services morning and evening. Sunday School at close of morning service.

ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC,—Rev. F. X. Trudel, Pastor of St. Joseph's, at Oldtown, officiates alternately at the two churches.

UNIVERSALIST.—Morning service at 10.30 A. M. and Sabbath School at close of the service. Rev. C. E. Churchill, Pastor.

OLDTOWN.

CONGREGATIONAL—Services morning and evening. Sabbath School after morning service. H. A. Freeman, Pastor. Prayer meeting Wednesday Evening.

BAPTIST,—Seats free. Sabbath School at 10½ A. M.; Preaching at 2½; Bible Reading 7.30 P. M. Prayer meeting Tuesday and Thursday evenings. All are invited.

ST. JAMES' EPISCOPAL,—Holy Communion at 10.30 A. M.; Sunday School, 2 P. M.; evening service at 3 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Services 2½ and 7 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST. Sabbath School at 10½ A. M. Preaching at 2½ P. M.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC,—Rev. F. X. Trudel, Pastor. Services at 10½ A. M.

SPIRITUAL ASSOCIATION. Meetings at Union Hall, Sunday, Jan. 15, and every fourth Sunday for the year following, at 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. Children's Progressive Lyceum at 11½ A. M.

MILFORD.

CONGREGATIONAL—Service afternoon at 2.30 followed by Sabbath School. H. A. Freeman, Pastor. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening.

HAMPDEN.

CONGREGATIONAL—Rev. C. D. Crane, acting Pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.

METHODIST,—Rev. A. S. Townsend, Pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School immediately after services. Social services in the evening at 7 o'clock.

WINTERPORT.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL, Main Street,—Rev. G. Pratt, Pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. Sabbath School 12 M. Evening service 7.30.

CONGREGATIONAL, Rev. M. Blanchard, Pastor. Services 10.30 A. M. Sabbath School, 12 M. Evening service, 7.30.

LINCOLN.

METHODIST CHURCH. Rev. F. A. Bragdon, Pastor. Service alternate Sundays at 10.30 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday School every Sunday.

CONGREGATIONAL. Sermon at 10½ A. M.; Sabbath School immediately after. Social service at 7½ P. M.

MATTAWAMKEAG.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Rev. F. A. Bragdon, Pastor. Service on alternate Sundays at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School every Sunday at 11.30 A. M. Social meeting at 7.30 P. M. Class meeting Saturday at 7.30 P. M.

WINN.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.—Rev. F. A. Bragdon, Pastor. Services alternate Sabbaths at 2½ P. M., in Town Hall.

CARMEL.

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET

[Corrected semi-weekly by the Grocers Association.]

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 1, 1882.

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State Law Regarding Weights and Measures.

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SATURDAY. FEB 4, 1882

BEGINNING EARLY

Judge Libbey's term as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court does not expire until the 23d of next April, but the official organ at Portland announces that Gov. Plaisted has already nominated Hon. William L. Putnam of that city, for the position. Of course the objection to Judge Libbey is his participation in the famous opinions that crushed the Counting-Out villainy. Governor Plaisted has taken time by the forelock, probably with the idea that he will be able to nominate several more for the place ere it becomes vacant. Considering the fact that Judge Libbey, a Democrat, was appointed by a Republican Governor and Council, it is a little queer to find a Governor supported by Democrats refusing the usual second term to a Democratic Judge. This case also illustrates Governor Plaisted's geographical leanings. He has been trying hard to deprive Eastern Maine of any representation upon the Reform School Board in order to place two Trustees in Portland, and as that city has at present only two members of the Supreme Court the Governor evidently thinks it ought to have a third.

STILL UNDER THE BED

The calm and noble minded journal which published such startling accusations of barbarities at the State Insane Hospital being urged to aid an investigation of its charges, responds with a beautiful editorial in which the pure spirit of its philanthropy and its sincere and sole desire to promote the higher interest of that important benevolence find expression in denouncing the editor of THE WHIG as "the unmitigated ass," and as "such an unmitigated ass" with eloquent references to his "sonorous bray" and "discordant bellowing" and "loud bray and asininity." That that does not prove that its charges against the Asylum are true, it would probably try to put as much more of the same sort of masterly argument into another beautiful editorial.

The one fact that crops out, however, from the midst of it bouquets of epithet, is the persistent effort to throw the whole responsibility for the publication upon Mr Tewksbury, as if the public did not know that any decent paper would take some pains to verify the facts before publishing broad cast on the statement of one person who might possibly be deluded or mistaken such sweepingly serious charges. At any rate the publisher of such accusations ought not to hide under a sick man's bed when called to assist investigation, and we shall continue to demand that he be brought out and made to stand up and tell all he knows about it even though he should sprinkle some more of his chaste rhetoric upon us.

MORMONS WHO DENOUNCE POLYGAMY

One of the queerest phases of the Mormon question is the appearance in Washington of a committee of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints, who waited on the President Saturday and have prepared a memorial setting forth that the real Mormon Church has always been opposed to polygamy, and that under the lead of the son of Joseph Smith they have for thirty years denounced polygamy and kept missionaries in Utah to preach against it. They quote from the book of Mormon to show that polygamy is not a part of Mormonism, but on the contrary is expressly inhibited, and urges that the true standpoint from which to deal with polygamy is That it is no part of the Mormon faith proper, but a loathsome incumbrance. The memorial suggests additional legislation by Congress so that avowed bigamists may not be allowed to act as jurors in a trial for bigamy.

SOMEBODY ENGAGED IN SMALL BUSINESS

[From the N. Y. Tribune.]

There has apparently been an indiscretion, if not a breach of confidence and propriety, in the publication of the extract from ex-Minister Christiancy's letter to Mr Blaine criticising the character of the Peruvian people and Government officials. Mr Christiancy says the letter was marked 'personal and confidential,' and was never intended to go upon the files of the State Department and into the published diplomatic correspondence. This the public will readily believe for no Minister in his senses would have made so plain spoken an arraignment of the nation to which he was accredited if he supposed there was the least danger of its getting into print. Mr Blaine appears to have inadvertently left the letter in his Department on his retirement, and somebody with more political zeal than wisdom or fairness included the very portion of it which from its character, should have been regarded as confidential in the general batch of South American correspondence sent to the Senate.

A garbled copy of ex Secretary Blaine's circular despatch inviting the Republics of America to a conference in Washington appeared yesterday in the New York *Herald*. Mr Blaine had previously requested the President to direct the publication of the despatch, which had been referred to by Mr Frelinghuysen, or to permit him to use it at his discretion. The President referred Mr Blaine's note to the State Department which with scant courtesy replied through its chief clerk that Mr Frelinghuysen would publish the despatch when it was called for by Congress. The very same day the document appeared in the *Herald* full of minor errors and with one considerable omission. Naturally Mr Blaine desires it now to go to the public as he wrote it, and for this purpose he furnishes a correct copy to the Associated Press. The despatch, as will be seen, is a cordial invitation, in the name of the President, to all the independent Nations of the American Continent to send delegates to a general Congress, to be held in Washington in November next, for the purpose of considering methods of preventing wars between them. It is expressly stated that the United States does not intend to appear at the Congress as in any sense the protector of its neighbors or the arbitrator of their disputes, but will place itself upon an equal footing with the rest, as a single member among many co-ordinate and co-equal States.

A New York Exchange remarks: "If Mr Conkling will hang his '306' brass medal around his neck and canvass this State as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor, he will acquire a large amount of valuable information on the subject of public opinion."

A Louisiana man is establishing an alligator farm. The hides and oil are in demand.

THE PROPOSED AMERICAN CONFERENCE.

Secretary Blaine's Circular to the South American Republics.

The following is a corrected copy of Mr Blaine's dispatch inviting a conference of North and South American republics to meet in Washington:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
Washington, November 29 1881.

Sir: The attitude of the United States with respect to the question of general peace on the American continent is well known through its persistent efforts for years past to avert the evils of warfare, or, these efforts failing to bring positive conflicts to an end through pacific counsels, or the advocacy of impartial arbitration. This attitude has been consistently maintained, and always with such fairness as to leave no room for imputing to our Government any motive except the humane and disinterested one of saving the kindred States of the American continent from the burdens of war. The position of the United States as the leading power of the New World might well give to its Government a claim to authoritative utterance for the purpose of quieting discord among its neighbors, with all of whom the most friendly relations exist. Nevertheless, the good offices of this Government are not and have not at any time been tendered with a show of dictation or compulsion, but only as exhibiting the solicitous good will of a common friend.

For some years past a growing disposition has been manifested by certain States of Central and South America to refer disputes affecting grave questions of international relationship and boundaries to arbitration rather than to the sword. It has been on several such occasions a source of profound satisfaction to the Government of the United States to see that this country is in a large measure looked to by all the American Powers as the friend and mediator. The just and impartial counsel of the President in such cases has never been withheld, and his efforts have been rewarded by the prevention of sanguinary strife or angry contention between peoples whom we regard as brethren. The existence of this growing tendency convinces the President that the time is ripe for a proposal that shall enlist the good will and active coöperation of all the States of the Western hemisphere, both North and South, in the interest of humanity and for the common weal of nations. He conceives that none of the Governments of America can be less alive than our own to the dangers and horrors of a state of war, and especially of war between kinsmen. He is sure that none of the chiefs of government on the Continent can be more sensitive than he is to the sacred duty of making every endeavor to do away with the chances of fratricidal strife, and he looks with hopeful confidence to such active assistance from them as will serve to show the broadness of our common humanity and the strength of the ties which bind us all together as a great and harmonious system of American Commonwealths.

Impressed by these views, the President extends to all the independent countries of North and South America an earnest invitation to participate in a general Congress, to be held in the city of Washington on the 22d of November, 1882, for the purpose of considering and discussing the methods of preventing war between the nations of America. He desires that the attention of the Congress shall be strictly confined to this one great object; that its sole aim shall be to seek a way of permanently averting the horrors of cruel and bloody combats between countries, oftenest of one blood and speech, or the even worse calamity of internal commotion and civil strife; that it shall regard the burdensome and far reaching consequences of such struggles, the legacies of exhausted finances, of oppressive debt, of onerous taxation, of ruined cities, of paralyzed industries, of devastated fields, of ruthless conscriptions, of the slaughter of men, of the grief of the widow and the orphan, of embittered resentments that long survive those who provoked them and heavily afflict the innocent generations that come after.

The President is especially desirous to have it understood that in putting forth this invitation the United States does not assume the position of counselling or attempting through the voice of the Congress to counsel any determinate solution of existing questions which may now divide any of the countries of America. Such questions cannot properly come before the Congress. Its mission is higher. It is to provide for the interests of all in the future, not to settle the individual differences of the present. For this reason especially the President has indicated a day for the assembling of the Congress so far in the future as to leave good ground for hope that by the time named the present situation on the South Pacific coast will be happily terminated, and that those engaged in the contest may take peaceable part in the discussion and solution of the general question affecting in an equal degree the well being of all.

It seems also desirable to disclaim in advance any purpose on the part of the United States to prejudge the issues to be presented to the Congress. It is far from the intent of this Government to appear before the Congress as in any sense the protector of its neighbors or the predestined and necessary arbitrator of their disputes. The United States will enter into the deliberations of the Congress on the same footing as the other Powers represented, and with the loyal determination to approach any proposed solution, not merely in its own interest or with a view to asserting its own power but as a single member among many coördinate and coequal States.

So far as the influence of the Government may be potential it will be exerted in the direction of conciliating whatever conflicting interests of blood, or government or historical tradition may necessarily come together in response to a call embracing such vast and diverse elements.

You will present these views to the Minister of Foreign Affairs of ——— enlarging, if need be, in such terms as will readily occur to you upon the great mission which it is within the power of the proposed Congress to accomplish in the interest of humanity and upon the firm purpose of the United States to maintain a position of the most absolute and impartial friendship toward all. You will thereupon, in the name of the President of the United States, tender to his Excellency, the President of ———, a formal invitation to send two commissioners to the Congress, provided with such powers and instructions on behalf of their Government as will enable them to consider the questions brought before that body within the limit of submission contemplated by this invitation. The United States, as well as the other powers will in like manner be represented by two commissioners, so that equality and impartiality will be amply secured in the proceedings of the Congress.

In delivering this invitation through the Minister of Foreign Affairs you will read this despatch to him and leave with him a copy, intimating that an answer is desired by this Government as promptly as the just consideration of so important a proposition will permit.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,
JAMES G. BLAINE.

HEARSAY REMEDIES FOR SMALL-POX.

A mixture compounded of one grain of sulphate of zinc, one grain of digitalis, half a teaspoonful of sugar and two tablespoonfuls of water has lately been declared to be an effectual cure for smallpox and a paragraph to that effect has been widely published. A correspondent of the Milwaukee *Republican* writes that during a recent attack of small-pox he gave the supposed remedy a faithful trial and derived no the smallest benefit from it. He adds, moreover: "In the town where I caught the virus the 'sure cure' was published at the first breaking out there. A druggist put it up and advertised it as ready on call. There were nearly fifty cases there afterward, a quarter of them fatal, and I understand the majority of them tried the 'unfailing sure' cure. After my recovery I tried to look into the origin and power of this cure. It has had recent wide publicity, but I doubt whether any 'French Medical Academy' has yet heard of it. As for its strength, take a drop of apple juice, a drop of turnip juice, mix with a taste of sorghum syrup and stir the mixture is a pail of water. Take some whenever you are thirsty. This will be as 'unfailing' as the other and is equally harmless. With such a terrible disease as the small-pox, are intone people may suffer greatly or die by having placed before them under such emphasis, this utterly worthless cure."

A HORRIBLE SCHEME.

In regard to the horrible proposition to preserve and exhibit Guiteau's body, his counsel and brother-in-law, Scoville, said to a Boston *Traveller* correspondent Thursday:

"I have no authority to dispose of the body. That remains for his sisters and brothers. I will advise them to do it. I have no objection to having the body embalmed. Now, so far as the proceeds from such a bargain are concerned, I would not touch a dollar of it for my own use. I think it proper to dispose of the body that way. Unless it was cremated or sunk deep into the sea you could not keep it from the body-snatchers. It would be taken just as Stewart's body was taken, and probably some quack would exhibit it strung on wires. I would just as soon have my body preserved in its natural state and exhibited as to have it eaten by worms. I know Guiteau's relatives would rather have the body in the hands of some one who would care for it than have it abandoned to the body-snatchers. I am told that this firm by their patent process preserve meats and vegetables so that at the end of two years they appear as fresh as when new. Now, I propose, if there are any proceeds from this to devote them to paying Guiteau's debts. If there is any left say there was $100,000, I will devote it to the amelioration of the condition of the insane, or to establish a fund to promote the anti-capital punishment doctrine. What I told these parties was that in case of his death there would have to be a post mortem examination of his brain."

It is not strange that Scoville's declarations has aroused a storm of indignation in Washington, and the proposed bargain is universally condemned by all classes. Mr Reed the associate counsel said in regard to it: "Why just think of it! Here is the leading counsel in a capital case making arrangements for the sale of his client's body before the sentence of the court has been passed, and in the midst of the legal steps taken to secure him his rights, as we understand them. If I were District Attorney of Chicago and this man Ridgeway, of Philadelphia, should come there with his show, I would prepare an indictment to the Grand Jury for his arrest, and if possible would have him convicted for keeping a public nuisance. This showman is beneath the contempt of any honest and patriotic man, and ever if he is successful in carrying out his project I believe people would rise and summarily put an end to the disgraceful scenes. Let us hope for the sake of our common love of country, our respect for the dead and by all the ties which bind us together as citizens of this great and free republic, that this outrage on the sentiment of decency shall not be referred to again."

What with holding up Blaine, the Insane Asylum and the Christian religion, the editor of THE ——— may be said to have his hands full at the present time.—*Commercial*.

Unless they find a more powerful assailant than our evening contemporary our task will not be very arduous. In Ohio in 1880, when it was claimed by our opponents that Providence in sending good crops had done more than the Republicans to restore specie payments, that veteran stump speaker, Gen Joe Geiger, promptly accepted the suggestion and replied that, "If God and the Republican Party could not prevail over Democracy and the Devil we might as well go out of business."

PERSONAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

General Burnside's large fortune descends to a nephew, who is his only heir.

Ex-Governor Horatio Seymour is ill—the consequence of a severe cold caught in driving from Utica to Deerfield.

Kentucky pends a half million dollars a year for the payment of officers of criminal courts and for the prosecution of criminals, not counting police officers or wardens to the penitentiary.

A son of the late Senator Wagner was nearly killed last Saturday in trying to catch an outgoing train at Schenectady. He caught the rail of a car and was dragged forty rods before he could pull himself upon the platform.

Special Notices.

[illegible] RAILROAD.

Change of Time, Dec. 5, 1881.

	A M	P M
Leave Bucksport,	5.20	6.30
Arrive in Bangor	6.42	6.0
Leave Bangor	7.35	7.15
Arrive in Bucksport	8.45	8.20

Mixed train leaves Bangor 11.00 A M Monday and Thursday, connecting with steamer, on Tuesdays and Fridays leave Bangor at 2.00 P M

The 5.30 A. M. and 5.00 P M trains from Bucksport arrive in Bangor to connect with trains East and West.

The 7.35 A M and 15 P M trains from Bangor await arrival of trains from the West.

STAGE CONNECTIONS

At Bucksport daily for Penobscot, Bluehill, Castine, Sedgwick, Brooksville, Ellsworth.

L. L. LINCOLN, Supt.

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Washburn's Best Patent Flour, $(.)0 Per Barrel.

B. W. CUBTIL,

NO. 10 BROAD ST.

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Grand Trunk Railway

$8 To Chicago $8

$8 To Detroit $8

The Grand Trunk Railway will sell on the rebate plan, first class tickets from

Portland to Chicago and Detroit,

At the above rates until further notice.

FRED H SMALL,
Pass Agent, Maine and Lower Provinces, Bangor

JAS STEPHENSON,
General Passenger Agent, Montreal.

P. M. BLAKE, City Agent,
9 CENTRAL ST, BANGOR

nov24

JAY GOULD.

It has been stated that Jay Gould has insured his life for $100,000 on the single cash payment plan, but this does not prevent a man with less means from having a policy on the plan of paying a small premium annually, to the CONN. MUTUAL LIFE INS CO., whose rates, &c., will be given at the office of

I. N. FAIRBANKS, Gen'l Ag't, Bangor

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Village Farm for Sale.

The large farm known as the William Jameson farm, situated in the thriving village of Upper Stillwater, and is from the State College. Said farm contains 70 acres, cuts 75 tons of hay, has commodious house, large barn, orchard, wood land, well watered pasture, and in every respect a first class farm. Large quantity of hay with the stock and utensils, will be sold with or without the farm, to suit purchaser.

Also 56 acres of land on Marsh Island.

For particulars, apply to or address WM. H HEALD, 8, Gen Joss Boot and Shoe Store, Bangor, Me.

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Oranges, Lemons [illegible]

BY THE BARREL,

As Cheap as Can be Bought in Boston.

You can say the freight and one profit by buying of us and we still continue to sell all our goods a little lower than any one else, as hundreds can testify.

P. S.—We have a very large stock of Pork and Beef by the bbl., larger than any other market this side of Brewer.

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(Successors to Kittider & Rose.)

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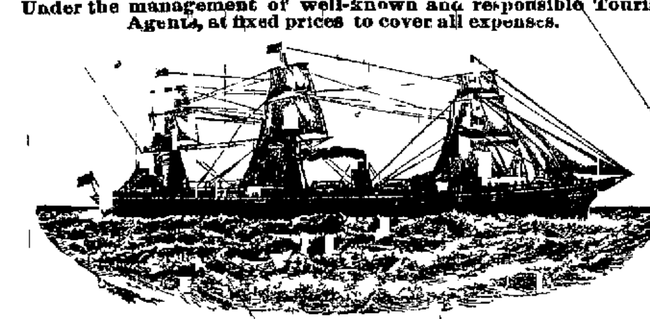
Under the management of well-known and responsible Tourist Agents, at fixed prices to cover all expenses.



Select parties leave New York April 22d, June 17th, June 24th, July 1st and July 8th, for tours lasting from 60 to 110 days at prices from $300 to $750 including all expenses. Residents of this vicinity may join either party, by immediately conferring with WILLIAM E. BROWN, Agent, 21 Main Street, Bangor.

Send or call for Circulars of information.

Passage tickets by all Lines, Drafts, Foreign Express, &c.

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for suitable packages, Bonds, Stocks &c. Boxes, built inside of our Immense Steel Burglar proof Chests, for Rent and Valuables received on Storage, at moderate rates. Holders of valuable papers and Securities CANNOT AFFORD TO BE WITHOUT THE PROTECTION we provide for them IN NO OTHER WAY can such valuables be INSURED Against Loss by Fire or Burglars.

Private Parlors and every convenience for our Customers as well as FOR [illegible]. We continue to transact a

Regular Banking Business

the same as an incorporated Bank. Deposits received payable on demand. Notes discounted and money loaned on approved securities, at low rates. Approved Checks on New York Boston, and elsewhere. We buy and sell

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and make a specialty of first class INVESTMENT SECURITIES. Having unexcelled facilities in every Department of our business, we solicit a further patronage.

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All Transactions Confidential.

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SURE CURE FOR DRUNKENNESS.

For particulars, write A. S. JONES, North Vassalboro, Maine.

Annual Meeting of the Penobscot Agricultural Society.

The Annual Meeting of the Penobscot Agricultural Society, for choice of officers and the transaction of any other business that may come before them will be held at the City Hall, Bangor, on WEDNESDAY, Feb 22d 1882, at 10 o'clock A M.

Per order

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B A BURR, Sec'y

Hallett, Davis & Co.,

AGAIN TRIUMPHANT!

First prize at the New England Fair in 1881 in competition with the best pianos in the world. Positively a rare to stand in time. All parties wanting a tried first-class piano should call and examine the unsurpassed musical purity and power of tone and workmanship of these instruments. Elegant new styles just received. Great inducements to cash buyers.

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Attorney at Law.

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THE NEXT REGULAR ASSEMBLY

AT OLDTOWN,

will occur FRIDAY Evening, Feb 3d. Music by Andrews and Kimball of Bangor

DIED.

In Hodgdon, Feb 2, Sarah wife of David Thomas formerly of Bangor

In Wytopitlock Jan 12th, of diphtheria, Josie Murra, aged 19 years.

In Holden, Feb 3, Amy B Moor, aged 17 years 3 months and 14 days

Marine Journal.

MARITIME MISCELLANY

Schr Warrenton, from Bucksport for Boston arrived at Belfast 2d full of water, and will discharge there for repairs

DOMESTIC PORTS

NEW YORK. Cld Feb 1, schr Harry White Hopkins Arroyo

CHARLESTON. Ar Jan 30, schr Wm Flint, Knowlton, New York

NEW ORLEANS. Cld 28th, bark Edward Cushing, Bickmore, Pensacola

FOREIGN PORTS

Ar at Cardiff Feb 1, bark P J Carleton, Amesbury, Frew

Ar at Dunkirk, Feb 1, ship Ivanhoe, Harriman Bombay.

Sld from Liverpool, Jan 31, ship Bullion, Reed Philadelphia

Ar at Buenos Ayres Dec 31, bark Rosetta M Neil, Percy, Portland

Ar at Cienfuegos, Jan 23, brig Rachel Coney Coney, Guantanamo

Ar at Montevideo, Dec 23, ship Pleiades Frost Portland 24 h, bark Mendota, Whittemore, and sld for Buenos Ayres

At Sydney, NSW, Dec 29, bark Florence Treat, Yearle, disc

SPOKEN.

Ship Martha Bowker, Bowker from Antwerp for Philadelphia, Jan 29, off the east end of Bermuda

Ship Ivy, Lowell, from New York for Astoria, O, Dec 12, lat 16 S, lon 35 30 W

Bark C B Hazeltine, Gilkey, from New York for Buenos Ayres, Dec 9, lat 5 21 S, lon 31 30 W

CLOAKS

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—AT—

Thompson & Kellogg's.

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PERSONS WISHING TO OPERATE IN STOCKS

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Entertainments.

TOWN HALL, [illegible]

The public are respectfully informed that the well known and popular

[illegible]

A. PRICE WEBBER, - - - MANAGER,

will open in the above hall on

Tuesday Evening, Feb. 7th, 1882,

with a choice repertoire of Dramas, Comedies and Farces

POPULAR PRICES

Admission 25 cents. Reserved seats, 35 cents. Doors open at 7; overture at 8 o'clock

Change of Programme Nightly.

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Monday Evening, Feb. 6, 1882.

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—AND—

Impersonator of Celebrities in Costume, Acknowledged by the press and public as one of the most popular and gifted Readers of the day, with

Miss Ella H Chamberlin of Boston, WHISTLING SOLOIST,

who creates unbounded enthusiasm, and fairly electrifies the audience with her delightful solos.

F. S. DAVENPORT, - PIANIST.

Tickets 35, 50 and 75 cents. Sale opens at D Bugbee & Co's Monday morning, Jan (15), 1882

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BANGOR

Skating Rink.

ENTRANCE

Just Below Parkhurst's Trunk Factory,

Main Street.

Open Afternoons and Evenings,

From 1 until 5 P M, and 7 until 10 P M

SEASON TICKETS

Ladies	$3 00
Gents	3 50

Family $6 00 to $10 00

Admission 15 cents except on Band nights. School children admitted Wednesday and Saturday afternoons for 10 cents. MR ROBINSON will have charge of the Rink, with competent assistance.

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$2 50 EACH,

For Sale by

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Thoroughly equipped Veneer Mill having Saw Mill for sawing cutting stock and berry box machinery running up was a veneer. Box capacity ten to fifteen thousand boxes per day. Veneer machine will cut two thousand feet of logs per day. Earn'd over $5000 the money last year. Has orders now on books for more than a year's product.

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Having decided to close up my retail business, I am offering my goods at

A Great Reduction From Former Prices,

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Hats, Flowers, Feathers & Ribbons

at about one half price. I shall from time to time add new goods when I can buy them much under price and give my customers the benefit of such goods and gains. I have just received a large invoice of Hamburgs cheaper than ever before shown in this State

I. W. COOMBS.

Lost.

Chatelaine watch with portion of Chatelaine attached. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at

EXCHANGE HOTEL OFFICE

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TO [illegible]

Received by

D. BUGBEE & CO.

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BEST [illegible]

—AT—

CHAS. YORK & CO.'S,

Nos 9 and 11 Granite Block, East Market Square

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Trustees' Notice.

A meeting of the Bondholders (under mortgage of the Bucksport and Bangor Railroad Company to Richard P. Buck as Trustees, dated Nov 10th, A D 1873, the foreclosure of which will be perfected Feb'y 6th, 1882, and who will be by force of law as of that date a new corporation), will be holden at the office of Sewall B Swazey, Bucksport, in the County of Hancock State of Maine, on MONDAY, the sixth day of February, A D 1882 at 2 o'clock P M, for the purpose of adopting measures for calling the first meeting of said Corporation

RICHARD P BUCK,
SEWALL B SWAZEY, Trustees

Bucksport, Jan 16, 1882 td jan26

Sleds and Skates,

You can find everything in this line at

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THE NEW ILLUSTRATED WEEKLY,

Its Publication Postponed till Feb 8th,

On Account of the Extraordinary Demand.

Owing to the unanticipated and extraordinary demand for the first number of "OUR CONTINENT," its issue is deferred till

February the 8th inst.

The American News Company alone has ordered 50 000 Copies of the first number, and the orders for the first number from Postmasters, Booksellers, Canvassers and Subscribers in all sections of the country amount already to the large aggregate of 87 000 copies.

To supply simultaneously this unexpected and daily increasing demand we are obliged to postpone the issue of the first number of

"OUR CONTINENT"

Till Feb. the 8th inst. at 11 o'clock.

"Our Continent" Publishing Co.

PHILADELPHIA.

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DOG LOST.

A Brown Spaniel, white feet and breast and white stripe in face. Answers to the name of Guy. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at

FRED GOULD'S,
Mercantile Square, Bangor.

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"THE [illegible]"

Is Where You Should Go

FOR BARGAINS IN CLOTHING.

Custom Work Made to Order in First-Class Style.

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods a Specialty.

ROBINSON & AREY,

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The Greatest Bargain ever offered in Bangor.

Lot 1--5000 yds. at 12 1-2 cts pr yd

Lot 2--5000 " 17 "

Lot 3--10,000 " 25 "

Lot 4--1000 " 37 1-2 "

—ALSO—

One case 10-4 Wamsutta Cottons, in long remnants, VERY CHEAP.

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Bangor, Feb 1, 1882

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Entrance either through the Whig and Courier office or from Post Office Avenue

Bangor Sept 3 1881

[illegible] Baking Powder,

—FOR SALE AT—

VERY LOW PRICES

—AT—

TEA WHITE'S.

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J. F. Parkhurst & Son,

MANUFACTURERS OF

TRUNKS AND BAGS.

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Sell Cheap for Sixty Days,

to make room for 10,000 more we are making

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[illegible] Stock [illegible]

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BANGOR, - - - MAINE.

DANIEL F. DAVIS. CHARLES A BAILEY

January 1st, 1881. jan15

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[illegible] FOR [illegible]

I am prepared to furnish [illegible] in lots to suit [illegible] market, making [illegible]

C. L. SNOW,

Dealer in Wood and Coal

32 BROAD STREET

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REMOVAL.

J. C. BOYER, - - Tailor

Has now located in [illegible] Street. [illegible] shop [illegible] former patrons [illegible] I am thankful [illegible] so long [illegible] with [illegible] work at reasonable [illegible]

Lemon's Extracts,

At the leading odors for sale

SWEET'S,

NO. 2 MAIN ST

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that [illegible] Legislature of the State of Maine [illegible] or a renewal and amendment of the Oldtown Water Power Company [illegible]

Bangor Jan'y 1

TO Grocers

—AND—

GENERAL TRADE

OF BANGOR

Having purchased the [illegible]

Nos. 63 and 65 Broad St.

and put in a complete set of the most improved machinery for the

[illegible]

we hereby beg leave to announce our [illegible] supply parties with

ALL KINDS OF PLAIN & FANCY CRACKERS

[illegible] We have [illegible] for the manufacture of

Butter and Milk Crackers, Soda Biscuit, Common Crackers, Ship Bread, Pilot Bread and Oyster Crackers,

of a SUPERIOR QUALITY, which [illegible] prices [illegible] our Bread Cases and Pastry [illegible] stand in Pickering Square [illegible] the new department [illegible]

[illegible]

NEW

Horse-Radish

—AT—

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SALEM LEAD COMPANY,

CORRODERS AND GRINDERS OF

PURE WHITE LEAD

AND MANUFACTURERS OF

LEAD PIPE

AND NARROW SHEET LEAD

FRANK A BROWN Treas. SALEM MASS

FRY'S

COCOA EXTRACT,

EPPS'

PREPARED COCOA

BAKER'S

BREAKFAST COCOA

And Menier's

Chocolate and Cocoa,

—AT—

CHAS. DWINEL'S.

jan 1

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The annual meeting [illegible] Company [illegible] the transaction of other business [illegible] the Penobscot Exchange in Bangor the sixteenth day of [illegible] o'clock in the forenoon [illegible] meeting the company [illegible] drive in the West Branch [illegible] made by the Company or [illegible] said company [illegible] the office of the Treasurer [illegible] Bangor on Wednesday [illegible] next, at 10 o'clock [illegible]

Per order of Directors

ABRAM MOOR

Bangor, Jan [illegible] 1882

If You Want a Really Good Salad

Use the exquisite flavor of [illegible] your mouth [illegible] Harlow's Drug Store

At Harlow's Drug Store a new supply of English Glycerine and Honey Soaps.

Holy Land Olive Soap

Lubin's and Condray richly perfumed soaps.

Handkerchief Perfumes in bulk

Sachet Powders, the finest known.

Farina's 4711 Cologne, and a fine line of Tooth and other Toilet Brushes, Combs, Razor Strops, Cosmetics, Lotions and Powders

At Harlow's Drug Store [illegible]

India Rubber Goods

for Nurseries and Sick Rooms [illegible] Water Syringes and Foot Warmers

At Harlow's Drug Store you [illegible] the

True Butter Color,

genuine shade of June Butter

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—AND—

Popping Corn,

—AT—

A. B. GOULD & CO.'S,

100 EXCHANGE ST.

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PROBATE NOTICES.

To the Honorable Judge of Probate for the County of Penobscot:

The undersigned, executor of the will of William C Crosby, late of Bangor in said County, deceased, respectfully represents that the goods and chattels rights and credits of said deceased are not sufficient to pay his just debts and charges of administration and legacies.

Wherefore your petitioner prays your Honor to grant him a license to sell, at public or private sale and convey all the right, title and interest of said deceased in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

1—The late homestead of said deceased, situate on [illegible] street in said Bangor.

2—One fourth in common and undivided of Township No Three (3) Range Thirteen (13), W E L S in said County.

3—All deceased's interest remaining unsold in south half of Township No. Three (3) Range Seven (7), W E L S [illegible] Penobscot County.

4—[illegible] called Township No. Seven (7) Range Four (4), [illegible] in Penobscot County—to satisfy said debts, expenses of sale and charges of administration and legacies.

WILLIAM CROSBY.

July 31 1881

STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT, ss Court of Probate, January Term A D 1882

Upon the foregoing petition, ORDERED, That said petitioner give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of the petition and this order thereon to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier a newspaper published in Bangor in said county, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said county to be held at the Probate Office in Bangor on the last Tuesday in February next at ten of the clock in the forenoon and show cause, if any they have why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

ELLIOT WALKER, Judge.

A true copy of the petition and order thereon.

Attest JOHN F ROBINSON Register

State of Maine.

PENOBSCOT, ss Court of Probate, January Term A D 1882

Upon the petition of Rebecca H Luce mother and Sarah B Bates sister and creditor of Emily M Gilman late of Boston in Suffolk County, State of Massachusetts, deceased, that the administration of the estate of said deceased in said State of Maine, may be granted to John E Godfrey of Bangor in said County of Penobscot.

ORDERED, That said petitioners give public notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order thereon to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig & Courier a newspaper published in Bangor in said County citing them to appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor on the last Tuesday in February next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted

ELLIOT WALKER, Judge.

A true copy,—Attest JOHN F ROBINSON Register

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The Best Assortment of [illegible]

And LOWEST Prices

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GLASSES.

Lowest Prices, Best Trade in the City. Get Our Prices.

SNOW & AVERILL,

23 West Market Square

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NOTICE.

The copartnership styled Lunt & Adams Grocers, in Hammond street, is dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be continued by F. G. Lunt, under the name of F G Lunt & Co, and all debts due the old firm will be collected by him.

All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to call and make immediate payment

F G LUNT,
C H ADAMS

Feb 1st 1881

I shall remain at the old store and should be pleased to see all my old friends and customers

C H ADAMS

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LARGE STOCK

—OF—

Hand Sleds,

Will be sold out at Cost.

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(Successor to D White)

No 2 Kenduskeag Bridge.

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CREAM SAGE CHEESE,

Mixed Nuts, Nuts that are Not Mixed, Nuts Waiting to be Mixed, at

FRED T. HALL & CO.'S.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

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MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL.

Snyder Charged with Forgery.

The Judge's Decision withheld till To-morrow.

Guiteau attempts to make a Speech

WASHINGTON Feb 3 When Judge [illegible] the court room at 10 o clock [illegible] the bar were all filled [illegible] the rest of the room was [illegible] of men and boys who [illegible] The prisoner was [illegible] and placed in the [illegible] taking his seat Guiteau [illegible] to his counsel and said in a [illegible] pleading tone

[illegible] Your Honor

[illegible] there is no objection

Have you any objection

[illegible]

[illegible] took a seat at a table [illegible] and taking out of [illegible] roll of manuscript [illegible] the apparent belief [illegible] counsel in

[illegible] motion [illegible] correct a few errors [illegible] he was stopped by the [illegible] to any remarks [illegible] at this stage Scoville [illegible] anything of the kind [illegible] the business [illegible]

[illegible] Your Honor [illegible] templated that some [illegible] given for this mo[illegible] sources from a prom[illegible] bar that he will as [illegible]

[illegible] Who is the gentle[illegible] give the name [illegible] confidence to the

Scoville then Desired to make a new Motion

[illegible] to make a new [illegible] grounds the [illegible] trial [illegible]

[illegible] I have not [illegible]

[illegible] May it please Your Honor [illegible]

[illegible] Well we will postpone [illegible]

Reading the Affidavits

[illegible] proceeded to read the affi[illegible] by him with [illegible] the affidavit up [illegible] mainly to sustain [illegible] Scoville [illegible] the table on the [illegible] upon the right of [illegible] days since [illegible] days of any [illegible] countenance. These [illegible] the mouth [illegible] pinched appear[illegible] late hours [illegible] the affidavits by [illegible] listened attentively and [illegible] That a doubt [illegible] the Snyder affi[illegible] both the affiant [illegible] the prosecu[illegible]

The Alleged Signatures Bare Forgeries

[illegible] Corkhill in reply said [illegible] Snyder nor Scoville [illegible] [illegible] the subject [illegible] a new trial [illegible] to be guilty

[illegible] affidavit of each [illegible] jurors [illegible] read [illegible] Snyder for 15 years [illegible] Snyder is

A Thief a Forger and a Blackmailer

[illegible] would not believe him [illegible] also read an affida[illegible] formerly a detec[illegible] Detective McEl[illegible] Snyder several years [illegible] larceny also the [illegible] in charge [illegible] Snyder alleges to [illegible] the affidavit did not [illegible] the trial [illegible] have [illegible] persons that [illegible] the bailiffs or jury [illegible] Scoville and J

[illegible] the rooms on sev[illegible] [illegible] the hour when [illegible] the Crime in [illegible] was there [illegible] the rooms [illegible] Snyder [illegible] have [illegible] had [illegible] there

[illegible] affidavit of A H S Earle another [illegible] jury was then read [illegible] also the affidavit of Henry Brag[illegible] the party alluded to by Scoville [illegible] newly discovered [illegible] for a new trial Brag[illegible] affidavit sets forth that he saw a man [illegible] as alleged and [illegible] marked [illegible] like a disappointed [illegible] but he does not [illegible] whether it was Guiteau or not

[illegible] submitted that [illegible] amply sustained [illegible] allegations of forgery and fraud and [illegible] would refrain from adding [illegible]

Scoville in Reply

[illegible] denounced the attempt to blacken [illegible] of Snyder It was on a par [illegible] letters which had been sent to [illegible] impregnated with small [illegible] and the virus injected into these affidavits was all instigated by personal spite of one man, No man Weird It would go out through all the land and tests might be required to repair the [illegible] that this is thus proposed to be done to an honorable man the peer of any in the country

Corkhill raised a laugh by asking in a tone of innocent inquiry "You are not speaking of Snyder, are you?"

Scoville remarked with marked emphasis "Yes sir, I am—an honorable man."

He then asked the Court to expunge from the affidavits everything of the character he described.

Judge Cox replied that the objection was clearly well taken and that much of the affidavits objected to could not be considered as evidence. Judge Cox then stated that he could not vary from the well-defined rules of practice as to the admission of affidavits or time for hearing motions but as new questions were submitted in the pending motion he would take time to mature his decision and would not announce it till tomorrow morning. He would be pleased to hear any legal authorities that the counsel might desire to cite.

Scoville Argues and Guiteau sells Autographs

Scoville then proceeded to argue his motion citing authorities and precedents. Scoville spoke one hour in support of his motion and cited many authorities. The jury who occupied the same seats respectively as during the trial gave the closest attention The crowd within the court room gradually increased until there was no even standing room and the doors were barred to further admission The prisoner astonished every one by his good behavior The majority of the audience was composed of strangers and many applications for autographs were handed up to Guiteau When accompanied with the requisite fee the request met with instant response Reaching over to the reporters' table Guiteau whispered "It seems mean to be charging for my autographs but I took in $7 50 yesterday and I have already got $ [illegible] to-day If I had done this all through the trial I might have realized $1000 with which to employ competent counsel It's the only way I've got now to make any money, though it does look mean

Davidge in Reply to Scoville

said the affidavit of Scoville sets forth what could in no event be anything more than cumulative evidence and even then is rendered null by the counter affidavit of Bragdon the very man on whose testimony Scoville in his affidavit says he will rely Davidge then discussed at some length the Snyder affidavit quoting from one of Moliere's plays in which the hero exclaims "What in the devil was he doing in that gallery " Davidge said, "In applying it to this case what in the devil was Snyder doing in that room? (Laughter) What business had he there any more than in my house or in my library? I care nothing for the general character of this man He is found in the novel and unenviable act of invading the sanctity of the jurymen's room What business had he there? Why did he enter there?

Guiteau—He said the door was opened and he saw the paper

Davidge—Yes, I know, Mr prisoner So are a great many doors open, but what would you think of me if I went mousing around private rooms?"

Guiteau—If you had been in Snyder's place you would have done the same as he did"

Davidge continued to discuss the affidavit of Snyder It was a very easy thing for any one to have put into the bailiffs room the newspaper in question with the express intention of having it found there He (Davidge) considered this evidence of the newspaper of very little account

This elicited from Guiteau the comment, Very strong presumptive evidence Judge, specially with a grog jury and a jury that smokes and drinks and plays cards."

Scoville Replied to Davidge

and argued that Snyder deserved praise rather than censure for his conduct, he was not "mousing" around as the counsel intimated, he occupied a room at the hotel and in going to and from it was compelled to pass the hall opening upon which were the rooms of the jury Seeing a newspaper through the open door he had as every honest American citizen should do, walked in and taken it away in the interest of justice He (Scoville) expected a decision from the bench upon that point

Corkhill—Well, you'll have hard work to get it

Scoville (with much warmth)—"Perhaps that may be the case. It is no new thing to experience difficulties It all comes from the pressure that will have nothing but 'hang him' 'hang him'"

Guiteau Shouting and Scoville Abusing the Jury

Guiteau with foaming excess and wild vehemence shouted "You may succeed in your villainous purposes Corkhill but we'll win on the long pull and don't you forget it Law always wins or the [illegible]

Scoville continuing, discussed the affidavits of the jury, every one of which he said was based on the affidavit of their ordinary and these educated and represented citizens of Washington, like so many school boys or parrots had put their names to whatever was prepared for them

Guiteau Again Called Out

with great excitement "God Almighty will ruin every man that is opposed to us Only give the Lord time enough and he will do it" Scoville strongly argued the propriety of proposing to the jury some questions He was not satisfied with their affidavit and thought further light would be thrown upon the disputed matter of the newspaper if this was done

Adjourned Till To-morrow

At the conclusion of his remarks Judge Cox took all the papers in the case under advisement until to-morrow The jury were requested to be in attendance to-morrow which was looked upon by some as an intimation that the Court may accede to Scoville's request Adjourned until to-morrow

FORTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS—First Session

Senate.

WASHINGTON Feb 3 The House bill appropriating $6000 for packing, transporting and arranging agricultural and the [illegible] specimens, presented to the agricultural department by exhibitors at the Atlanta Exposition passed

Mr Teller from the Committee on Pensions reported an original bill a substitute for one on the subject granting to Lucretia R Garfield Sarah C Childress Polk, and Julia Gardiner Tyler, widows of ex Presidents, a life pension of $5000 per year from Sept 19 1881, that of Mrs Tyler to be in lieu of the pension heretofore granted her

The bill to extend the northern boundary of Nebraska was taken up Mr Edmunds thought the act should be subject to all limitations pertaining to the original act for the admission of Nebraska into the Union, the only point that now occurred to him was in reference to the free navigation of the Missouri river He offered an amendment putting his suggestion into effect, adopted The bill then passed

Mr Hoar reported from the Committee on Privileges and Elections the Senate bill fixing a day for the meeting of Electors of the President and Vice President providing for and regulating the counting of the votes for and the decision of questions arising thereon. He says the bill was identical with the one reported by Mr Edmunds and passed by the Senate in 1878 The report now made was unanimous except as to a single member of the committee who was not present, when the bill was considered Mr Hale asked for the printing of the bill at length in the records. It was ordered

On motion of Mr Logan, the Senate bill for the distribution by the National Board of Health of pure vaccine virus to the people, was taken up and passed. The Senate then resumed consideration of the three per cent bond bill, and Mr. Voorhees completed his remarks thereon

The Funding Bill Passed

The funding amendment of Mr Hawley limiting withdrawals of bank circulation under the fourth section of the act of 1874 to five millions per month and requiring 30 days' previous notice thereof, was then adopted. Without further amendment the Senate then passed the Funding Bill, ayes 28, noes 18.

On motion of Mr Morrill the House bill, admitting free of duty goods in bond contributed for relief of colored emigrants from Southern States to Kansas, was passed

Adjourned till Monday.

House

A resolution was adopted to furnish the room of the Committee on Coinage with a complete set of all the coins in the United States. Mr Rice of Massachusetts, from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, reported a bill for the relief of the captains and owners, officers and crews and their heirs and assigns of the privateer General Armstrong.

The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Private Calendar (Dingley, of Me., in the Chair), and after a short sitting the Committee rose and the House adjourned till to-morrow.

MONEY FOR IRELAND.

Large Amounts Collected.

CHICAGO, Feb 3 J. M. Healey, a member of the British Parliament, has collected $20 000 for the suffering Irish, and returns home this week. Mr O'Connor has collected some $40 000 Father Sheehy has secured about $20,000 more for the same purpose.

SLOSSON WINS

The Paris Billiard Match.

PARIS, Feb 3 Slosson won the billiard match to-night, making a total of 3,000 points, to Vigneaux's total of 1 853.

[illegible] The Proposed American Congress,

[illegible]

SHARPLY CRITICISED BY MR. BLAINE.

Reasons Why the Invitation Should Not be Revoked.

Ex-Secretary Blaine to President Arthur.

WASHINGTON Feb 3 The following letter was sent to President Arthur to day by ex Secretary Blaine

WASHINGTON Feb 3

To the President of the United States

The suggestion of a Congress of all American nations, to assemble in the city of Washington for the purpose of agreeing on such a basis of arbitration for international troubles as would remove all possibility of war on the Western hemisphere, was warmly approved by your predecessor The assassination of July 2 prevented his issuing invitations to the American States After your accession to the Presidency, I acquainted you with the project and submitted to you a draft for such an invitation. You received the suggestion with most appreciative consideration and after carefully examining the form of the invitation,

You Directed that it be Sent

It was accordingly despatched in November to the independent governments of America, North and South, including all from the Empire of Brazil to smallest republic In a communication addressed by the present Secretary of State on the 9th of last month to Mr Trescott and recently sent to the Senate, I was greatly surprised to find a proposition looking to the annulment of these invitations, and I was still more surprised when I read the reasons assigned I quote

Mr Frelinghuysen's Language

The United States is at peace with all nations of the earth and the President wishes hereafter to determine whether it will conduce to that general peace which he would cherish and promote for this Government to enter into negotiations and consultation for the promotion of peace with selected friendly nationalities, without extending a like confidence to other peoples with whom the United States is on equally friendly terms If such partial confidence would create jealousy and ill will, peace, the object sought by such consultation, would not be promoted. The principles controlling the relations of the republics of this Hemisphere with other nationalities may on investigation be found so well established that but little would be gained at this time by reopening a subject which is not novel "

A New Position for the United States to Assume

If I correctly apprehend the meaning of these words it is that it might offend some powers if we should hold in the United States a congress of "selected nationalities of America This is certainly a new position for the United States to assume, and one which I earnestly beg you will not permit this Government to occupy European powers assemble in congress whenever an object seems to them of sufficient importance to justify it I never heard of their consulting the Government of the United States in regard to the propriety of their so assembling, nor have I ever known of their inviting an American representative to be present, nor would there in my judgment, be any good reason for their so doing

Two Presidents of the United States,

In the year 1881, adjudged it expedient that the American Powers should meet in congress for the sole purpose of agreeing upon some basis for arbitration of difference that may arise between them and for the prevention, so far as possible, of war in the future If that movement is now to be arrested for fear it may give offence in Europe the voluntary humiliation of this Government could not be more complete unless we should petition European Governments for the privilege of holding the congress I cannot conceive how the United States could be

Placed in a Less Enviable Position

than would be secured by sending in November cordial invitations to all American Governments to meet in Washington for the sole purpose of concerting measures of peace and in January recalling the invitation for fear it might "create jealousy and ill will" on the part of monarchical Governments in Europe. It would be difficult to devise a more effective mode for making enemies of American Governments and it would not add to our prestige in the European world Nor can I see, Mr President, how European Governments should feel "jealousy and ill-will" towards the United States because of an effort on our part to assure lasting peace between the Nations of America, unless, indeed, it be the interest of European Powers that American Nations should at intervals fall into war and bring reproach on republican government But from that very circumstance I see additional and powerful motive for American Governments to be at peace among themselves. The United States is, indeed, at peace with all the world as Mr Frelinghuysen well says, but there are and have been

Serious Troubles Between Other American Nations

Peru, Chili and Bolivia have been for more than two years engaged in desperate conflicts. It was the fortunate intervention of the United States last spring that averted war between Chili and the Argentine Republic. Guatemala is at this moment asking the United States to interpose its good offices with Mexico to keep off war. These important facts were all communicated in your late Message to Congress. It is the existence or menace of these wars that

Influenced President Garfield

and as I supposed influenced yourself to desire a friendly conference of all the Nations of America to devise methods to secure permanent peace and consequent prosperity for all. Shall the United States now turn back and hold aloof and refuse to exert its great moral power for the advantage of its weaker neighbors? If you have not formally and fully recalled the invitations to the Peace Congress, Mr President, I beg you to consider well the effect of so doing.

The Invitation was Not Mine; it was Yours.

I performed only the part of Secretary to advise and to draft; you spoke in the name of the United States to each of the independent nations of America. To revoke that invitation for any cause would be embarrassing; to revoke it for avowed fear of "jealousy and ill-will" on the part of European Powers, would appear as little to American pride as to American hospitality. Those you have invited may decline and having now cause to doubt their welcome, will perhaps do so. This would break up the congress; but it would not touch our dignity.

Importance of Improving Our Trade Relations.

Beyond the philanthropic and Christian ends to be obtained by an American conference devoted to peace and good will among men, we might well hope for material advantages as the result of a better understanding and closer friendship with the Nations of America. At present the condition of trade between the United States and its American neighbors is unsatisfactory to us and deplorable. According to official statistics of our own Treasury Department the balance against us in that trade last year was 120 millions of dollars, a sum greater than the yearly product of all the gold and silver mines in the United States This vast balance was paid by us in foreign exchange and

A Very Large Proportion of it Went to England,

where shipments of cotton, provisions and breadstuffs were supplied for the money. If anything should change or check the balance in our favor in European trade our commercial exchange with Spanish America would drain off our reserve of gold coin at a rate exceeding one hundred millions dollars per year and would probably precipitate suspension of specie payment in this country Such a result at home might be worse than a little jealousy and ill will abroad I do not not say, Mr. President that holding a peace congress will necessarily change the currents of trade, but it will bring us into kindly relations with all American Nations, it will promote the reign of peace and law and order,

It will Increase Production and Consumption

will stimulate the demand for articles which American manufacturers can furnish with profit It will at all events be a friendly and auspicious beginning in the direction of American influence and American trade in a large field which we have hitherto greatly neglected and which has been practically monopolized by our commercial rivals in Europe

As Mr Frelinghuysen's despatch, foreshadowing the abandonment of the peace congress, has been made public by your direction, I deem it a matter of propriety and justice to give this letter to the press

I am Mr President with great respect,
Your ob'd't serv't,
(Signed) JAMES G BLAINE

COAL MINE EXPLODED.

Forty Miners Caught.

FEARS THAT ALL ARE SUFFOCATED.

COALFIELD, Va Feb 3 An explosion at Grove Shaft of the Midlothian coal mines about one o clock to-day. Thirty two men are caught in the shaft and there is little hope that any of them will be got out alive Gas testers were down nearly to the bottom of the pit three times, but were forced to return on account of smoke and gas, which was suffocating They report the pit afire, but they will make another effort in the morning to search for the unfortunates The news of the disaster spread very rapidly.

MAINE NEWS.

JUDGE LIBBEY'S SUCCESSOR

The Governor's Organ Announces the Nomination of W L Putnam

PORTLAND Feb 3 A special to the Advertiser from Augusta, says the Governor has nominated Hon William L Putnam as Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court of Maine in place of Judge Libbey when the latter's term expires

STORM IN CANADA

QUEBEC Feb 3 Another tremendous storm is raging here

W U TELEGRAPH

New Superintendent for New England

NEW YORK, Feb 3 Col C A Tinker was to day appointed General Superintendent of the Eastern Division of Western Union Telegraph Company, comprising all New England, with James Merrihew as assistant and headquarters in New York city Both are veteran telegraphers.

AFFAIRS IN EGYPT

Gambetta's Reminder to De Freycinet

LONDON Feb 3 The Times Paris correspondent states that on handing to De Freycinet the portfolio of prime minister Gambetta reminded him that England accepted the project of armed intervention in the event of Egypt falling into anarchy

The French Programme

The Times' Paris despatch says Gambetta has informed De Freycinet that intervention was arranged so as to avoid all possibility of conflict between England and France, that troops intended for that purpose were scattered among the different garrisons in the south of France

The Demands of the Powers

CONSTANTINOPLE Feb 3 The Russian German, Austrian and Italian Embassies have made verbal communication to the Minister of Foreign Affairs that their Governments desired the maintenance of status quo in Egypt any modification of which would require the consent of all the Great Powers

WOMAN SUFFRAGE

The House to Appoint a Committee

WASHINGTON, Feb 3 The House Committee on Rules met to day and after further discussing the subject of appointing a select committee on woman suffrage authorized Mr Reed of Maine to report to the House a resolution providing for a committee of nine members.

MILD WEATHER WEST

Ploughing in the Missouri Valley

BISMARCK D T, Feb 3 Yesterday was the most remarkable day of the winter, the thermometer at one time registering 71° above. There has been but one inch of snow in the Missouri valley this winter and but a few days of cold weather It's the mildest season ever known Ice in the Missouri river is very weak, promising to break in a few days. The farmers are jubilant, and some have already done some plowing

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

The boys who robbed the Portland Telegraph Office have been brought back from St John and the money recovered

It is stated that Russia has signed a treaty with Persia by which she acquires the Akhal Tekke basis.

Renewed reports come from the southern tier of counties of Illinois indicating the deplorable condition of the inhabitants, produced by scanty crops last year.

At a meeting of some 150 creditors of Archbishop Purcell in Cincinnati Thursday night, to take measures to bring to a speedy settlement of their claims, speeches were made complaining of the delay of the assignee, and a committee was appointed to urge the Probate Court to compel an early settlement

Proceedings in the trial of the straw bond cases in Washington, Friday, were uneventful and the court adjourned until next Tuesday

The Commercial Elevator at Buffalo, N Y, was burned Friday afternoon, causing a loss of $175 000 Insured for $115 000

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEP'T OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, Washington, D. C, Feb 4—(1 A. M.)

Indications

For New England: Increasing cloudiness followed by rain or snow, northwest veering to warmer easterly winds followed by falling barometer.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Monetary Quotations

NEW YORK, Feb. 3 Sterling Exchange—Long, 4 84½, short, 4.86.

Money loaned down from 4½ to 3½ and closed at 3a4

Prime mercantile paper 5a6.

State bonds firm.

Railroad bonds rather weak

Government bonds fairly firm and ½ higher for 4s, and unchanged for ex 5s and 5s and 6s.

Government Securities closed at the following quotations

United States Sixes, 1881, reg	100½
United States " " coupons	0
United States new 5s, reg	102½
United States " 5s, coupons	00
United States new 4½s, reg	113
United States " " coupons	114
United States " 4s, reg	118
United States " 4s, coupons	118
Pacific Sixes	128

The following are the closing prices of railroad stocks:

Chicago & Alton	134
do preferred	140
Chicago, Bur. & Quincy	135½
Erie	[illegible]
do. preferred	80
Illinois Central	131
Lake shore	111½
Michigan Central	85½
N. J. Central	[illegible]
Northwestern	131
do. preferred	[illegible]
N. Y. Central	132
Rock Island	132
St. Paul	109
do. preferred	122
Union Pacific	116
Western Union	80½

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Feb 2. Flour—Receipts, 12,500, exports, 2,441 sales, 15,900, — No 2, 2.40 @3 25, superfine Western and State, 4 35@4 75, common to good extra Western and State, 5 15@5 75, good to choice do 5 80@6 75 common to good extra Ohio, 5.35@8 75, common to choice white wheat Western, extra, 7 25@8 75 common to choice extra St. Louis, 5.2@8 15. Others unchanged including 2700 City Mill extra at $ 85@7,00 Southern flour steady—Common to fair extra, 5 05@7 00, Good to choice extra, 6.15 @7 87½

Wheat—sales 1,822,000 — Ungraded spring 1 29, 00, No 2 do, 00, ungraded red, 1 31@1 43, No 2 red 1 44@1 45, new 00

Rye dull—sales 000 — Canada, 00, State 91@98

Barley firm — sales 5,000 — No 1 Canada 00, ungraded Canada, 000, two rowed State, 90 Corn dull — sales 770 000 Ungraded, 67½ @71, No 3 @69 steamer 69, No 2, 69½@69½

Oats firm—No 3 @ 48½ 00, do, white, 47 @47½, No 2, 48 do white, @48½ No 1 48, 00 white 51, mixed western 47@48, white do., 48 @50 Mixed State, 48@49 white do 50@52½

Sugar is dull — Fair to good refining 6@7½ Cube loaf 9½, crushed 10, granulated, 9 3-16 @9½ standard 9½ powdered 9½, confectioners, 9½.

Molasses steady—Orleans 55@63.

Petroleum — United, $8½, refined 7

Tallow is quiet—Prime 6 5, 8 @ 6

Pork dull—sales 3 5 — Old mess, 17 00@00 00; new, 18 0@18 00

Lard — sales 000 — Prime steam, 11 40 @ 11 42½

Butter firm—State, 2@41, Western, 14@41

Cheese dull

Chicago Produce Market

CHICAGO, Feb 3 Flour is steady.
Wheat higher — No 2 Spring, 1 29½ @ 00½
Corn firmer—No 2, 60½@63½
Oats quiet—No 2, 41½@00
Rye lower at 7½
Barley firmer at 1 03@00
Pork higher at 11.20@11 22
Pork steady—18.35@18 40.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Rather cold last night

Parkhurst's ice rink is well patronized

The streets were full of people yesterday

Considerable produce was brought into market yesterday

Thompson & Kellogg advertise choice Cape Cod cranberries

The Arctic Ice Company cut a large quantity of ice yesterday

Fred Atwood, of Winterport, is filling large orders for rubber coated scythes.

Coasting parties enjoyed their sport last night by the bright light of a full moon.

Rev Geo S Hill, wife and daughter, of Exeter, are spending a few days at the Bangor House.

The roller skating rink will be open this afternoon and evening Music will be furnished at the evening session

Mr Morse, of Boston, will deliver the principal address at the Reform Club meeting to morrow afternoon

A Young Men's Debating Club hold weekly meetings at the Common Council Room in the City Hall building

The assembly at G. A. R. Hall, under the auspices of the Ladies Relief Corps, was largely attended last evening

There will be quarterly meeting services at the Union street church Sunday evening, Feb 5 Rev W W Marsh will preach

A number of our exchanges are now publishing the statement that Miss Annie Louise Cary denies that she is to be married to one of the Lorillards

The weather yesterday was quite spring-like until late in the afternoon when a stiff breeze sprung up and the mercury rapidly descended At one this morning it stood 6° above

Mr Kelleher, the supposed small pox patient, has been discharged from the pest house, well and hearty The City Physician under whose care Mr. Kelleher has been, says it was not a case of small pox

A clipped horse shivering in the wind is too common a sight The horse men are agreed that a clip does not harm a horse if he is well cared for, but the clippers, them selves say it is sheer cruelty to allow a clipped horse to remain unblanketed when he is not exercised

Wm E Brown announces a number of personally conducted tourist parties to Europe this spring and summer, under the management of responsible and well known agents. Full information concerning time of departure, routes, etc, may be had at his office 2 Main St

At the Universalist church, on the second, third and fourth Sabbath evenings of the month the pastor will give lectures as follows Feb 12th, "Our Little Ones," Feb 19 h "A Glimpse into the 19th Century," Feb, 26 h, "The Mormon Question" The musical service will be by the choir

A BIG LOAD OF BIRCH The two-horse team of the Willimantic Thread Company, of Hartford, Conn, hauled from the woods to the saw mill of the Company at Nom[illegible] in Piscataquis county, twenty and one fourth feet of white birch spool wood on the second inst The team was driven by John J Thomas and the wood was measured by Thomas Jenkins.

A HARD CASE—As a little daughter of John Hosford of Hodgdon, in Cumberland County, aged eight years, was going from a neighbor's house, where she had been visiting during the day, to her home, last Friday night, her hat blew off and in her attempts to recover it in the deep snow, became chilled, lost her way and remained out all night When found the next morning both her hands and feet were frozen Hopes are entertained of her recovery without amputation being necessary

SINGULAR ACCIDENT. The Fairfield Journal says that on Monday afternoon Bertha Lee Webb, daughter of John S Webb of Clinton, went to Mr. Nathaniel White's, one of the neighbor's. While there she complained of the toothache and was given a clove to allay the pain. In some way she accidentally sucked it down her windpipe Physicians did all in their power to relieve her, but all their efforts were unavailing. She was a great sufferer up to the last and died on Thursday about midnight She was nearly seven years of age

MODEL LUNCH BOXES. A diploma has been awarded by the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic Association at their late Fair to Mrs. Sarah A. Hoskins, of this city, for improvement in Lunch Boxes, patented July 26, 1881. We examined one of the boxes yesterday and found it very ingeniously and conveniently contrived to carry in small compass all the requisites for lunching at picnics or on journeys. It contains a "place for everything," including plates, trays, cups, etc., and by a handy arrangement forms a table. It is evidently the best thing of the kind we have ever seen, and is most creditable to the womanly skill of the inventor.

CONCERT AT ORRINGTON. Our correspondent writes that Prof. G. T Moody concluded a very successful singing school at Orrington with a grand concert Thursday evening, in which no little credit was reflected upon Mr. C. A. Bowe, the manager of the school. The class of a hundred voices evinced thorough training, proving Prof. Moody to be a skillful teacher. Mrs. Joseph Nickerson presided at the piano during the class singing. The class was assisted by some of Bangor's best talent,—Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Wasgatt, Mr. Holden and Mr. Moody, soloists, and Miss Abbey Garland, pianist, and Dr. E. T. Wasgatt, violincello. The programme of twenty-four pieces, consisting of choruses by the class, songs, duets, quartettes, piano solo, serenade for piano and cello, was received with marked applause by the large audience.

Y. M. C. A.

Novel Scenes at the Second Day's Entertainment—Kate Greenaway and Mother Goose Festivals—The Exhibition a Brilliant Success

It was very evident to the dullest mind yesterday that the Y M C. A entertainment at Norombega Hall was proving a splendid success Large numbers visited the hall at the noon hour to obtain their dinners, which were served in Japanese, English Antiquarian and Paperacious booths and all were generously patronized One would suppose that the supply of food would soon become exhausted, but the booths were continually replenished from the seemingly inexhaustible "supply table" on the east side of the hall. This department was ably presided over by Mrs Thos H Getchell and Miss Tyler Dinner was served from 12 to 2 o clock

Of course the principal feature of the afternoon was the Kate Greenaway Party At an early hour the gallery seats were nearly all taken and the gathering upon the floor rapidly augmented in numbers. Soon the carriages began to arrive bringing the little folks who were to appear at the party

At a little past four o'clock the curtain rose upon one of the most beautiful scenes that it is possible to conceive. It was the Kate Greenaway Party Some sixty or seventy little folks, some of whom were but toddling bits of "troublesome comforts," all arrayed in the quaintest costumes possible, presented a scene that must have warmed the heart of every parent in the house and made every old bachelor feel that the world was little better or brighter for his having lived in it All the costumes were fine and many were elaborate and expensive The little ones, as if oblivious to the presence of an applauding multitude, indulged in the merry plays of childhood, and seemed intensely happy, while their parents gazed upon them with a beaming look of pride upon their countenances that was certainly pardonable

The spectacle lasted for an hour or more, when, after having partaken of a collation served upon the stage, the little ones marched around the hall, through the aisles, to the music of a stirring march, performed upon the piano by Miss Dressel

Supper was served from six o clock until half past seven

At eight o'clock, the evening entertainment began in the presence of a very large audience, every inch of space of seating capacity being occupied as well as the standing room. The tableaux vivants were announced by Mr Charles S Pearl, and the text of the various parts was read by the Rev. G B Ilsley in a very effective manner The scenes were from Kate Greenaway and Mother Goose, interspersed with music, as follows:

1. "Higgledy Piggledy, see how they run," from Kate Greenaway
   Piano duet.
2. "Over the Wall" from Kate Greenaway
3. Statuary—"Hide and Seek"
   Music—Overture
4. "Shopping, from Tuttifrutti
5. "The Jolly Tars," from Tuttifrutti
6. Tell us a Story, Grandma
7. "My Ship" in two scenes
   Music
8. Scenes from Mother Goose
   a The Little Bachelor
   b Little Bachelor choosing a wife
   c Wedding Journey
   d Misfortune on the Way
9. Statuary—"Faith"
10. Ring the Bells, Ring! from Kate Greenaway
    Music
11. "Good Night" from Tuttifrutti

Mrs Davenport and Miss Merrill presided at the piano during the entertainment, which is ample assurance of the high order of music

To attempt a matter of fact description of the entertainment is out of the question Only those who were present can fairly appreciate it. The scenes upon the stage were fairy like in the extreme and will long be remembered with a sense of keenest pleasure by the little innocents who participated in them as well as by those who composed the audience. The children seemed to have been finely disciplined and scarcely made a mistake in their parts, their beautiful costumes were not brighter than their joyous faces, and the stage scenery was very appropriate

The committee to arrange for the exhibition last evening was composed of Mrs C C Prescott, Miss Porter and Miss Low, and these ladies will receive, as they deserve, the hearty congratulations of all who were interested in its success.

The general arrangements for the two days' fair and entertainment were under the special direction of ladies all whose influence the affair was undertaken Committees were appointed from the different church societies, with Mrs. Wm B Hayford as President. The responsibility resting upon them was of no slight character, and they have reason to feel proud of the grand results of their efforts.

In our report of yesterday we inadvertently omitted the name of Mrs. L C Day's from the list of those who took part in the tableaux illustrating the "Courtship of Miles Standish" We should also have stated that Miss Agnes Braun assisted at the Archery.

In all respects the ladies' entertainment in aid of the Young Men's Christian Association was a perfect success

AMUSEMENTS

The Ricard-Chamberlin Entertainment.

The closing entertainment of the Bangor Art Association, for the present at least, will be given at Norombega Hall on Monday evening. The character of the entertainment would of itself recommend it to the patronage of our citizens, because of its novelty as well as worth, and when the announcement is made that two such artists as Mme. Ricard and Miss Chamberlin will appear it would seem that the audience at Norombega should be limited only by the capacity of the hall. The Quincy *Patriot* says:

"The reading given by Madam Hernandez Ricard on Wednesday evening was one of the best of the season, and pronounced by competent judges to be one of the best which has ever been given in this town. The entertainment was a new one, none of the pieces ever having been read to a Quincy audience. Among the best was the pathetic piece entitled "Old Age," which held the closest attention of the audience, as the voice of the speaker rang out a bell for a year from the cradle to the grave. Madam Ricard is a lady of superior talent, and we hope she may be induced to give another reading here before the season closes.

The Cambridge *Press* thus speaks of Miss Chamberlin:

"The feature of the evening was the wonderful whistling solos by Miss E. M. Chamberlin. To those who have never had the pleasure of hearing Miss C., the effect was electrifying, and she must have been tired answering the repeated calls."

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

January (Civil) Term.

Chief Justice JOHN APPLETON, presiding.
RUEL SMITH, Esq., Clerk.

Friday, Feb, 3.

Hobbs vs. Hobbs still on trial.

The Augusta *Journal* says: The resignation of President Robins of Colby University, is in the hands of the Secretary of the Trustees, and a meeting of the Trustees has been called to be held at Waterville on Tuesday, February 14th.

HUMANE SOCIETY.

Mr Editor It has been suggested that a society be organized in this city for the prevention of cruelty to animals and children under the title of the "Bangor Humane Society." It may be asked, what is the necessity for such new society when there is already one existing with a similar purpose? I will endeavor to answer and explain. There is, or, I may say, there was, an organization in this city entitled the "Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals" This society was organized some years ago and went into successful operation with both friends and funds. To day it has none of the last named, and would seem to have but few, if any, of the former. It has been killed in the house of its friends and is practically dead from indifference and inanition It would not be profitable to mention the causes which have led to the present unfortunate results This society numbered about one hundred and fifty members, of whom twenty-six are not now living, all of whose names may be mentioned as having been active and honorable members Edward Kent, Jonas Cutting, Isaiah Stetson Jones P Veazie, J. O B Darling, Michael Schwartz Sam'l H Dale, Franklin Muzzy, J. S Ingraham, Henry F. McLaughlin, James C Weston, Henry E. Prentiss, Albert Noyes, Abner B. Hallowell, John S Chadwick, Wm C Crosby, Thomas A Baldwin, Alfred Veazie, Hermon Bartlett Chas. Abbot, P. B. Mills, Ansel Leighton, Solomon Parsons, Wm. H Perry, Daniel P. Wood, John F Potter. The organization of a new society meets the approval of the officers of the old society, it being thought easier to create a new one with an increased number of members and with an enlarged area of usefulness, than to attempt to resuscitate the present one The "Humane Society" will be organized without sectarian or political prejudices and ladies and gentlemen will be asked to join it and lend their influence and aid in carrying out its humane purposes. Including in its object the prevention of cruelty to children it may be deemed just to say that no improper or officious intermeddling with the rights of parents or guardians or any action similar to that recently taken by a society in New York in the case of "Little Corrine" will be attempted, but cases of cruelty resulting from intemperance, bad temper or neglect coming to the knowledge of the society, will receive attention and be investigated by its officers having in mind always that the motto is "prevention, not punishment." A preliminary meeting will be held at the office of Thomas G Stickney, Kenduskeag Block on Monday evening next at seven o'clock, to which all interested are respectfully invited.

JOSEPH CARR

FROM PITTSFIELD.

"Assault with Intent to Kill"—A Lady Injured by a Passing Team—Liquor Seizure

PITTSFIELD Feb 3

To the Editor of the Whig & Courier

On Monday evening last a very disgraceful affair occurred in Pittsfield, in which A F Dinsmore was badly beaten and bruised by Allen Hart, According to the testimony of Hart, he, with Dinsmore and others had been in a certain saloon in the village "shaking for the drinks" After this Hart went to his house, which is but a short distance away and got a dish, in which he got some ale at the said saloon While returning with his ale he was followed by Dinsmore, who insisted on having a drink. A squabble ensued between the two and Dinsmore was thrown down and hurt Hart kept on to his house and, as he claims was followed by Dinsmore, who began to kick his door furiously. Hart came out again and another struggle ensued, in which Dinsmore was so badly bruised that at one time his recovery seemed somewhat doubtful Dinsmore, who was intoxicated at the time, claims that he did not kick the door or do anything to provoke Hart Mr J H Haskell and others, who assisted in taking Hart away from Dinsmore, say that Dinsmore would undoubtedly have been killed on the spot had no one interfered On Wednesday forenoon Hart was brought before Justice Maxfield charged with "assault and battery with intent to kill" The trial lasted all day and resulted in Hart's being put under bail for $500 for his appearance at the next term of court at Skowhegan Dinsmore lies seriously ill at his home

On Wednesday last Miss Ida M Holmes while standing in the street talking with acquaintances, was struck by a passing team and knocked down. The thill of the passing sleigh struck her over the eye and inflicted a severe gash The boy who was driving the team said he was looking in another direction and did not notice where he was going

Constable Nickerson seized about six gallons of the "critter" at the depot last Wednesday and thereby probably prevented the repetition of such disgraceful scenes as occurred on Monday last

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Business Items.

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I doesn't want a big piece,
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I wish you'd fred my needle,
And find my thimble, too—
I has such heaps o' sewin'
I don't know what to do.

My Hopsey tored her apron
A tumblin' down the stair,
And Lizzar's lost his pantmoons
And needs anozzer pair.

I wants my Maud a bonnet,
She hasn't none at all,
And Fred must have a jacket,
His ozzer one's too small.

I wants to go to grandma's,
You promised me I might;
I know she'll like to see me,
I wants to go to-night.

She lets me wash the dishes,
And sees on grandpa's watch—
I wish I'd free, four pennies
To buy some butter-scotch.

I wants some newer mittens—
I wish you'd knit me some,
'Cause most my finger freezes,
They leks so in the sun.

I wou'd 'ven out last summer,
A pullin' George's sled;
I wish you wouldn't laugh so—
It hurts me in my head.

I wish I had a cookie,
I'm hungry's I can be;
If you has got pretty large ones
I would belief bring me free.

I wish I had a piano—
Won't you buy me one to keep?
Q dear! I feel so tired,
I wants to go to sleep.

ELLEN.

CHAPTER I.

"Ellen, you will not know your lesson to-day, the rate you are studying."

The words were addressed to a little, pale girl, who sat listlessly holding her book, while her eyes were fixed on the green shrubbery which she could plainly see from the open window. A deep glow overspread itself over the sallow cheek as her head bent to the task.

"Mamma," whispered Alice, who was sitting near her mother, engaged in copying a corrected French exercise, "I think cousin Ellen has one of her bad headaches to-day."

The mother did not answer, but while apparently engrossed in Carrie's efforts to overcome the difficulties of the first lesson in her reader, she attentively watched Ellen.

The child seemed studying, then pressed her hand hard over her temples, gave a weary sigh, and again the book went down, and clasping her hands tightly together, her gaze wandered away down the shady avenue, till fixing itself on some distant object, she sat unconscious of all her surroundings.

She was startled into consciousness again, by her book falling from her lap, and stooping hastily she lifted it, while she cast a frightened look at Mrs. Grey.

"Is your head aching, Ellen?" the lady asked gently.

"No, ma'am," replied the girl, hesitatingly.

"Do you know your lesson?" asked her aunt, the tone of her voice involuntarily changing to a slight severity.

"No, ma'am," half whispered Ellen.

"I give you ten minutes more," said Mrs. Grey, looking at her watch, "if you are not prepared then, you must go with me to the library."

There was a severe decision in her voice, as again the lady bent to the little one by her side. Again the sallow cheek flushed, and her head bent to the book. This time the eyes were not removed, and at the expiration of ten minutes, Ellen was called upon to recite. The recitation proved a total failure.

It is as I expected, Ellen, these idle, careless habits must be overcome. It is painful for me to discipline you, but I trust you feel that I love you, and that I do it for your good. You can go, children, she continued, turning to Alice and Carrie, who were neatly arranging their books, "and you also, Bertie," she said, speaking to a boy at a distant table. "You can go and meet Roland and Eddie, they will soon be home now."

Alice cast a lingering look at Ellen, as she stood pale and quiet before Mrs. Grey. Carrie whispered as she passed her mother, "Please, mamma, let Ellen go;" a shake of the head being the only reply, while Bertie, after arranging his desk, came forward with a troubled look on his face.

"Mamma," said he, "if you will permit me, I would rather stay and assist Cousin Ellen with her lesson, the boys will soon be home now," he said, glancing at the clock, "so I will not mind much," he continued, as if in reply to Ellen's deprecatory shake of the head.

"Very well, my son," replied Mrs. Grey, an unconscious weariness in her tone. "Go to the library with Ellen. I will be with you in a few moments."

The children left the room, and Mrs. Grey's head sank on her hands. She remained in this position for several moments; when at length her head was lifted, the weary look had left the face, but in its place there was one of care and perplexity.

"What shall I do?" she more than once murmured, then rising, she followed the children to the library. She met Bertie in the passage.

"Did you succeed in assisting Ellen, my son?" she asked cheerfully.

"No, mother, she said she preferred studying alone; and after trying in vain to persuade her to let me at least go over the lesson with her, I left her. "But, mother," he said, as the look of perplexity deepened upon his face, "do not worry about her. I do not think you ought to punish yourself because she is naughty. Come and walk out a little, it will help you."

"Thank you, darling," said Mrs. Grey, stooping and kissing the fair upturned face.

"I will go to Ellen now—if she were suffering, I could better understand it, but day after day, these omissions occur, and I have indulged her till indulgence has ceased to be a virtue."

"I must," she said, compressing her lips, and striving to speak calmly, "I must try severer measures. But go, and enjoy yourself, my boy; in punishing the guilty, I do not wish to mar the pleasure of the innocent."

The child moved slowly away, after giving his mother a pleading look, and as she entered the room, Ellen was in the act of rising from the sofa where she had thrown herself before her aunt's entrance.

Her book lay on the floor by heriside.

"Ellen, do you wish to displease me; do you care nothing for my love, my child?" said Mrs. Grey, as she glanced at the book, and took a chair before the girl.

The heavy eyes lifted themselves to hers, there was a slight quivering about the parting lips, but no answer.

"Are you not well, Ellen? only tell me you are suffering, and I will forgive you, as I have so often done before."

There was a spasmodic, a choking "I am not sick," and then the pale lips resolutely closed.

"I cannot understand you, Ellen, you are a mystery to me. Oh, my child, why will you not let me love you? why will you sudden all of our hearts by this sullen course of conduct, which you seem determined to persist in? My heart yearns over you, my child, my only sister's daughter. Come to me, and tell me you love me, that you have some reason for thus acting."

She opened her arms, but Ellen shrank away, and covered her face with her hands.

"Well, Ellen," said Mrs. Grey, rising, after a long and painful silence, "if you will it so, I must submit. I have offered you my love, asked your confidence, and you refuse both. It now only remains for me to do my duty, and painful as it will be, I shall endeavor to discharge it. Your inattention, your idleness, your carelessness, I could forgive, but your dishonesty, your deception from truth, must be met as crimes by which deserve punishment. My admonitions, my reproofs, my warnings, have failed of any effect, and now, when you super-add to your misdemeanors a sullenness, that hardens itself against the voice of love, I fear that stolidity will soon deaden you to the voice of conscience. Ellen, you grieve me to the very heart; may God forgive you, poor child, and teach me to deal truly with you. Until I see some signs of change and repentance in you, you will no longer sit with the family, nor join in the sports of the children. I shall expect you to appear regularly at prayers, at your meals, and in the school-room, and at any time you wish to see me, you will find me in my dressing-room, and may God put it in your heart to see me soon and often." So saying, she turned and left the room.

There was a low wail as the door closed. Ellen sprang to her feet, and extended her arms as if she would have detained her; then suddenly clasping her head, she sank again upon the sofa, crying, "Oh that I could die!" Soon exhausting herself, she lay still and motionless, the only sign of consciousness being quick, convulsive shivers, following each other at short intervals. She had been lying thus perhaps half an hour, when a quiet step was heard in the passage, and a hearty voice exclaimed: "Where is Ellen?"

The next instant the door was flung open and a bright, beautiful boy, of about fourteen, entered. The girl immediately sprang to her feet, and hurriedly attempted to smooth the tangled hair from her face

"I am here, Eddie!" she said, a warm flush mantling her cheek. "Have you got back?"

"Yes," he cried, boisterously, "we had a splendid time, and got lots of fish, but see here Ellen, I lost the watch."

Ellen staggered, and turned deadly pale, she sat down on the sofa to prevent herself from falling. "You didn't, Eddie!"

"Oh, but I did, though, see, here is the chain," he said, drawing the broken links from his pocket. "You see the confounded thing caught in my line some way, and jerked out the watch, and snap went the chain, and down to the bottom of the river went my watch, and that's the last of the natural old thing."

"Eddie! our father's watch!"

"Well, I can't help it if it was, what did you give it to me for?"

"Oh, Eddie," again falteringly entreated the trembling voice, "you said you would have it, and if I didn't get it for you, you would know I never did care anything about you. That my love was all pretense if I could not do that much for you. You know, Eddie, how you urged me to it, and how I begged you not to make me do it."

"Well, it's no use to go over all that rigamarole now. I remember devilish well how like a ghost you looked the night you slipped into aunt's room and got it for me out of her drawer, while I watched on the stairs to warn you if any one was coming. I could not help giving a little squeak when I saw you had got it hard and fast, and by Jove how you did run!" he said, breaking out into a boisterous laugh.

"Oh, Eddie, hush! why do you say such vulgar, wicked words, what would our uncle, what would our own, dear father say if he could hear you?"

"Tom Jones says them," said Eddie, silkily, "and I don't see any harm in them! I don't see why uncle Grey should be so deucedly particular."

"Hush, Eddie!" replied Ellen, striving to cover its lips with her hand.

"Uncle Grey is so kind and good to us poor orphans, and dear, dear Aunt Lucy, it breaks my heart when I think of her," and too weak for passionate outbreak, the tears trickled silently down the pale cheeks of the child.

"Aunt Lucy is a good fellow—I mean a clever woman," replied Eddie, warmly, "but see here, Ellen, you are you going to fix up this devil of a bad job?" he said, throwing the remnant of the chain into her lap.

"I will not fix it," as you call it, at all, if you do not stop using those vile words!" replied Ellen. "I never heard you speak so recklessly before. Were you not with cousin Rob and"

"No," replied Eddie, again boisterously laughing. "Jones and I were too smart for him to-day. Jones calls him a conceited pig, and we managed to get a boat to ourselves, and had a royal time. I wouldn't have been home now, but Mr. Dicy came by, and broke up our party. You see, Nelly, the boys had a jug of sweetened cider, with just enough of brandy in it to make it go well, and the old skunk had to come by just as we were taking a swig, and he cut up immensely over it. Whew! how my head aches"

"How can you speak of your teacher, Eddie, and he has kind and good to you, getting up this little boating party just for your pleasure."

"Bosh, Nelly, don't preach! I say, what are you going to about this?" and he touched the chain significantly.

"What am I going to do? please Eddie don't ask me, I can do no more, this all through now, she murmured, as her head sank.

He failed to catch the words, though the tone jarred on his feelings.

"Pshaw! you can fix up something, as you've often done before. You don't mind it."

The face that lifted to his was ghastly in its whiteness. "Don't mind it, Eddie!"

The words were hurdened with a world of reproachful meaning.

"Well, you don't what did you do the day I snatched the cake that Aunt had told you to watch, and what did you do when I pulled that nectarine from the orchard?"

"I bore the blame, Eddie, but oh, it was cruel! Aunt had just finished icing the cake for the expected company for supper, and left me to watch it, and you know you can try crying, 'give me some,' and I told you Aunt had left me in charge of it, and you snatched at it, broke it, and spoilt it. I was tripped and ran away, and when Aunt found it, I was punished, and why did you not say so?"

"I did, Eddie," said Ellen, softly, "but I was suspected of being a liar and a thief Aunt Lucy told me as much to-day."

"She did it, Ellen"

The girl did not reply, save by a weary sigh.

"That don't make you one, Nellie," he said coaxingly putting his arm around her, "just get me out of his scrape like a good sister, and I won't do her you again. I'll tell you how to do—don't you say anything about it, and somebody else will have to bear the brunt of it."

"Oh, Eddie, that is worse. Fannie clears up Aunt's room, and the blame will fall on her."

"Well, what of that; they can't prove it."

"They did not prove it on me, and oh, I would rather be dead," said Ellen, wailingly.

"Pshaw!" said the boy, a bright color mounting into his face, he sat moodily silent for a few moments.

"Well, Ellen, if you think more of Fannie than of me, you can go and tell Uncle Grey the whole story; but remember, I won't be here to hear it, for I swear I'll run away this night!" he said, start up. "I'm not going to be pointed out by Tom Jones and the rest of them as having smuggled the watch, and then be punished like a child. I don't intend to submit to it, and I won't, neither!"

"Hush, Eddie, hush, and I will do anything you ask," cried the frightened girl, throwing her arm around his neck, "only promise me you won't leave me."

"Well, Nelly, well," he replied, kissing her; "but you must not get into trouble, you have been in enough for my sake now, heaven knows," he said, a spark of generous feeling flashing up. "I can't hurt Fannie, and I will blow over in a few days."

"Never mind, Eddie, I will manage it," said the girl, growing very pale, "one thing you must promise me, though," she said.

"A hundred, if you wish, my dear, good sister," he said, eagerly.

"Promise me you will quit saying such bad words then, Eddie; and give up that Tom Jones. Oh Eddie, he is ruining you!"

"Bah that is two things instead of one. Well, we'll see about it. Don't forget your promise about this, though," he said, ouching the chain, "and now I must go, the girls want me to fix their croquet ground. Sit cheer up, little heart, it'll all blow over, and cry your eyes and come and have a game."

He kissed her, and was gone.

CHAPTER II.

Edward and Ellen Merton, were poor cousins orphans, and had entered the family of Mr. Grey, a few months previous to the events recorded in the last chapter. Their mother was a younger sister of Mrs. Grey, but weak, indulgent, and vain, she had neglected one child and ruined the other. Mr. Merton, severe to a fault, from any deviation from the strict principle of truth and integrity, had been kept in ignorance of much that was dishonorable and selfish in his boy's conduct.

But he had often been pained by a want of truthfulness in his child's character; for could all his impulsive generosity not his undoubted ability, hide from the anxious parent the total want of integrity, which is the foundation of all character.

When the mother, in palliation of his faults, would speak of his marvellous beauty, his wonderful ability, his admirable generosity, the father would turn sadly away, sickened from the recital, saying, "Better be a dunch-back and a fool, than proclitate his mind and his person to what I see lies inevitably before him, unless he learns to pursue the right, from a love of it."

To his pure, sickly little daughter, the father turned with a yearning fondness unutterable. Slighted by her mother, and often thoughtlessly ridiculed by the brother, upon whom she looked as the brightest and most beautiful being of earth, the little heart would have been crushed, had it not been for the paternal love that watched her so fondly. Many and many an hour the father had watched the little sufferer while held in the iron grasp of pain, for any sign of consciousness being the first pressure of his hand, as he smoothed the hair from her hot temples, or cooled her severed lips with some refreshing draught.

He love for him was idolatry, her father's smile her sweetened reward, his frown the most dreaded punishment. When death snatched him away from her, his last words burnt themselves into her heart as with a pen of fire. "Ellen, as you love me, watch your brother."

How miserably understood we have seen. Her mother only lived long enough after her father's death to impress upon the mind of the shrinking, sensitive child, a painful sense of her responsibility in this respect, as she was warned of the sternness of Mr Grey, to whom they were to be intrusted, and of the natural severity of their Aunt, whom they had never seen.

"Ellen, for my sake, shield my beautiful boy," and it was her mother left her.

Naturally demonstrative, affectionate and lively, Eddie soon recommended himself to the notice of those who had heretofore been strangers to him, and won the hearts of all with whom he came in contact.

His decided ability made him an especial favorite of his teacher; and for the little faults occasionally discernable in his character, found an apology and indulgence were always accorded.

The pale, quiet, and shrinking Ellen was, on her entery, an object of suspicion, almost of dislike to the different members of the family. The epithets sullen and morose, were too often applied to her, and if slighted and slightly were no coupled with those, it was because Mrs. Grey's tenderness forbade it.

The management of the little girl was, however, exceedingly becoming such a trial to her spirit, that Mr. Grey had more than once declared that she should no longer be annoyed by her humors; that he would on the very next offence, send her off to a boarding-seminary.

This to the minds of the loving, affectionate children, who had been long accustomed to the gentle influence and management of their mother, was the acme of all punishment, and one which brought out a peculiar degree of sympathy toward the culprit. It was at the breakfast table the next morning that Mr. Grey remarked:

"Mr. Davy is to distribute prizes next week, and I will have some of my own private property for the successful competitors. Look out, boys!"

"If that is the case, Uncle Grey, I will go at once and review my morning recitation," said Eddie, laughing. "Will you excuse me, Aunt Lucy?" "my fishing party yesterday has unfitted me, somewhat, with Homer and Cicero."

Mrs. Grey smilingly bowed her assent, and as Eddie left the room, his uncle said:

"Will if you will get me Eddie's watch, I'll have it repaired, that I may surprise him with it on the adjudgment of the prizes. He is rather young to be intrusted with such a valuable one, but he has showed so much industry, and is so boyishly anxious for the time-piece. I think we might indulge, a little rewarding him."

Mrs. Grey cheerfully assented, and left the room to get it.

"Are you sick, Ellen?" said Alice. The face of the child had flushed to a crimson which as quickly receding, left her deadly pale.

She shook her head, utterly unable to reply, as her trembling hand endeavored to lift her cup to her lips.

"What is the matter, Ellen?" asked her uncle, kindly.

"Nothing," she whispered, bending over her plate.

At that moment Mrs. Grey returned.

"Have you not removed the watch, Mr. Grey?" he asked anxiously.

"Certainly not," he replied, decidedly.

"Well it is gone," she said.

"Gone! mother," cried Robert, a youth of seventeen, who was still at the table.

"It is nowhere to be found," she answered. "Its ease is there, but it is empty. I cannot account for it."

"Who goes in your room?" asked Mr. Grey.

"No one but Fanny," replied Mrs. Grey; "but I cannot be lieve—"

"Let her be called," interrupted Mr. Grey.

Ellen here rose quietly, and was passing from the room when Mr. Grey detained her.

"Keep your seat, Ellen," he said sternly. The child fell rather than sat down upon the chair. An ominous silence pervaded the room till Fanny's appearance.

Much to Mrs. Grey's surprise, she evidenced no unaccountable hesitancy in her replies, in fact, at length bursting into tears, declared she did not think she would ever live to see the day her master and mistress would suspect her of dishonesty, and if they no longer had confidence in her, they had better discharge her."

"You do not know what you are saying, Fanny," replied Mrs Grey. "Are you not aware that you owe your character if sent away under such a charge, and consequently your means to obtain a living?"

"I know it, Sir," she sobbed, "but I would rather go than bring trouble."

"I do not understand you, Fanny," said Mr Grey; "you must explain yourself."

"I have nothing to explain," still sobbed the girl, in great excitement. "I didn't see her take it; I didn't see anybody take it."

"Didn't see who take it? You have gone too far now, Fanny; you evidently know something about it, and I will know."

Mr. Grey was a magistrate, and the object of Fannie's especial reverence,—a reverence, however, largely intermingled with fear.

"Oh, Miss Ellen" cried Fanny, suddenly. "I couldn't help it, and I didn't see you, neither."

Every eye was turned upon poor Ellen. She sat as if petrified; her large eyes wandering from one to another, with a helpless look that was pitiable.

"You, Ellen!" said Mrs. Grey, recoiling.

A low exclamation of horror escaped from the younger members of the family. Mr. Grey turned his stern face towards her.

"And you would not only stoop to such a deed, but sit calmly by, and see the innocent condemned as guilty? knowing, too, the consequences which would follow her expulsion from the house?"

Ellen did not answer.

"Where is the watch?" said Mr. Grey, after a pause.

"I—it is lost," she whispered.

"Lost! how so?" he asked, still more sternly.

The lips compressed themselves resolutely, the unmistakable sign of her uncompromising silence.

"Oh, Miss Ellen, don't look so. I didn't see you," cried poor Fanny, wringing her hands. "I was in Misses' room, and I only saw you go to the drawer in the dressing-room; maybe you didn't take anything. "Oh, say you didn't!"

Ellen gave a shivering sigh.

"Well, wife, this ends her future. Within one month you go to boarding-school," he said, turning to Ellen, "there to remain for five years."

"Oh, uncle, will you? thank you, thank you! Oh, I will go away from here. I never want to come back where I have been so miserable!"

A cry of "cruel, ungrateful," rose from the children. Roland's eyes flashed, and upon the gentle Bertie gave her a look of reproach. Mrs. Grey sat with her head on her hand.

"I shall have to tell Edward of the loss of his watch, but he shall not be the sufferer. I will provide him with another," said Mr. Grey.

But here Ellen sprang towards her uncle, and before he could prevent her, seized his hand, and falling upon her knees, cried: "Oh, Uncle Grey, if you have any pity, please do not tell him about it; I will submit to any punishment; I will go anywhere; I will never ask to see any of you again; but do not tell Eddie. Let me suffer all. Do not cloud his happy prospects with the thought of his sister's shame." She sank on the floor, moaning in her anguish.

"Ellen, I do not understand you," said her uncle, raising to raise her; but she repulsed his efforts. "What shame of discovery can equal it's guilt of the act!" Such anguish for the discovery, such want of penitence over the sin. One more, Ellen," he said, as he forced her to stand, "What have you to say? Will you have been a dumb idiot, or will you confess?"

No answer, save a look of supplication. "You have, at different times, sold little pieces of jewelry, did you dispose of this to supply any need which your Aunt or I failed to discover?"

No answer, save the look of intense pleading. Mr. Grey could not meet it, and looking away, said, "I cannot understand this sullen silence. The only point upon which she seems vulnerable is Edward. I would at once tell him the facts, but just now, for his sake——" he sternly continued, turning to Ellen, who had clasped her hands in entreaty.

"I will defer the disclosure until after his examination is over. Leave the room, Ellen, I do not wish to see you again, till you are prepared to leave my house."

An expression of intense relief passed over the face of the child as she wearily turned away.

Mrs. Grey's eyes followed her; the pale face, the heavy eyes, with their deep, dark rings beneath, the drooping figure, the unutterable sadness of the countenance, touched her heart.

Her eyes filled with tears as Ellen passed from the room.

"Husband," she said, "do not let your decision be unalterable, my heart yearns over that poor, woe-begone child. I cannot explain it, but I feel there is some impelling reason for Ellen acting thus. Let us watch, and wait a little longer."

"Do not ask it, Lucy "replied Mr. Grey "I have heard substantially the same apology for her, for every offence she has yet committed; for my part, I feel as if the sternest measures necessary to suppress this growing tendency to evil in her nature. She must be placed under strict surveillance, and the slightest deviation from truth and rectitude, punished swiftly and surely. Your gentle government is altogether at fault here, my dear wife,—families sometimes require their penitentiaries, and their prisons, as well as governments, and though I grant you, the cases are rare, this is one of them."

"Oh, master, you are going to send Miss Ellen to jail?" cried poor Fanny, falling on her knees before him.

"May the blessed Lord forgive me, if I have brought the poor child to such trouble! Oh, master, oh, mistress, if you could see her as I have—on her knees beside her little bed, praying for you both, for you all, and that God would give her strength even to die for his sake, and that her dear father—whom she loved like an idol, if he is dead,—would look down on her, and call as his poor, little daughter, and make her strong to suffer, you would think, like me, she was a dear little angel, and not thinking if things don't change," said Fanny, rising, and increasing in boldness, "it's going to jail you'll be sending her, but by a short road to heaven."

Fanny's speech seemed to electrify the whole party. The children were shocked at this boldness to "papa."

Mrs. Grey, trembling in eagerness to hear something in justification of the child, and Mr. Grey's suspicions aroused to discover all that Fanny knew.

"If you know anything that will tend, in the least degree, to justify your little favorite, it is your duty, for your own sake, as well as for her's, to let it be known, instantly," said Mr. Grey. "And now that you have aroused my suspicions, it becomes my duty to insist upon it."

"I think it folks would choose to see, they would see it was all along of Master Edward," replied Fanny, a little sullenly.

"Edward!" replied Mr. Grey. "Impossible!"

"Why, Fanny!" half whispered the children.

Roland glanced at his mother. She grew very pale; but did not speak.

"Yes, if knew how it would be if I spoke," replied the girl, "but mother sells the cake and sweet that Master Eddie is so fond of, and when he spends his allowance and runs in debt, it's always paid just after Miss Ellen, bless her heart, sells a ring, or a little brooch, or something of the kind; and I know, when I gather the clothes for the wash, her handkerchief's don't smell of cake, nor have bits of icing sticking to them, nor they are not stained with nectarine juice, either," said Fanny, significantly."

Roland drew a hard breath. The girls looked at each other as Fanny now fairly aroused, proceeded.

"I don't reckon it was Master Roland, either, that whistled on the stairs when Miss Ellen was crossing the passage with the watch, causing the dear, little heart nearly to faint with fright, just for him, and I don't reckon she was with you fishing, neither, and so got a piece of fish-line tangled in the broken chain and I can go and show it to you. If young gentlemen want to keep secrets, they oughtn't to talk so loud and bold as Master Edward."

The family sat in perfect silence till it was produced.

"This is fearful," said Mr. Grey, as the links in the evidence developed.

"Fearful for the little heart breaking up stairs," said Fanny.

"You all could see nothing but his hands some looks and smart ways. He didn't think it necessary to put on much before a poor creature like me, and sent me to the devil, when ever he chose to—nice gentlemen bumbuggling you all, and killing his sister."

"That will do, Fanny," said Mr. Grey, "You shall have no cause to complain in future. You are dismissed."

Roland's rest many supplied some missing links, such as Edward's avoidance of him, and a bravado declaration of his, repeated by Tom Jones, "that he would wear a watch, as fine a one, too, as Roland Grey, man as he thought himself to be."

By prompt measures and good fortune, Mr. Grey succeeded in recovering the watch from its watery bed, and after collecting all the evidence, the family were that night summoned to the library, as usual, for family prayer.

Prompt and just in all his measures, Mr. Grey had determined that as Ellen's condemnation had been public, her justification should be equally so.

At the close of the worship, and before the family left their seats, Mr. Grey said, "Edward, are you aware that your father's watch has been abstracted from your Aunt's drawer, and is considered as stolen?"

A suffocating gasp from Ellen's corner was almost lost in Edward's noisy, "Lost! Uncle! how so?"

"We are trying to discover," replied Mr. Grey, gravely. "Suspicion points at two culprits, Fanny, and—think of it, Edward—your sister!"

"Ellen! impossible, sir!" replied the boy, flushing deeply. "So, I think," replied Mr. Grey.

"Ellen, come forward." A low pleading "please Uncle," was answered by Roland putting his arm around her, and supporting her before his father." Come forward, Fanny," said Mr. Grey. "Oh, Uncle," cried Ellen, sinking at his feet, "do not blame any one but me. I will confess all. I took it; punish me as you will; I am the offender, but oh, I begged you not to tell Edward!"

"And I am here to speak for myself," said the boy, actuated by one of his sudden, generous impulses. "I am the guilty one. I am the double-dyed thief that sent my poor sister to obtain the watch, for the petty gratification of wearing it to the fishing party. I have been the offender, throughout, and the only one that deserves punishment."

Mr. Grey's brief, stern words, as he held up the watch before the astonished gaze of Edward, were cut short by Mrs. Grey's cries of "my child! my child!" as springing forward, she caught Ellen, who had sank into insensibility. It took many, many weary days of unceasing love and care to nurse the frail, little body back to health again, and months of prayer and tender instruction to convince the mind of its error, and show how a continued course of such deception was not only defeating her parents, desires and her own hopes, but bringing temporal and spiritual ruin upon one she would have given her life to save.

It was deemed best for Edward to be removed to sterner influence and stricter care, and the loving heart which had dropped at the announcement, soon had cause to bless the wisdom which had so devised. His letters, indicating a hearty and honest penitence, were proved in his periodical visits to his sister; though it was long before Mr. Grey could grant him either forgiveness or confidence.

The pale face of the little Ellen was a constant reproach to her uncle, as he remembered his former harshness, and her consequent suffering. Involuntarily his voice took a tenderer tone, when addressing her, and there was nothing so grateful to him as to hear the affectionate child declare when recovering from those dreadful headaches, "You nurse me just like dear papa, Uncle Grey."

If it had been possible to spoil the sweet, unselfish nature, there would have been a danger of spoiling her now, but it was Mrs. Grey's care to guard it as she should not sink into a listless inactivity, into morbid sensitiveness. How wisely she guided her, Ellen I will not acknowledge and bless, and when blushing into healthy and beautiful womanhood, she gave her hand to one every way worthy of her, she declared, "If fitted for the duties which lie before me, if in God's providence I can ever fill the woman's true position of wife and mother, it is to your gentle teachings I owe it, Aunt Lucy, and well may your children rise up, and call you blessed.

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